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# QUALITY OF SURFACE WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES, 1953

PARTS 9-14

## INTRODUCTION

The quality-of-water investigations of the United States Geological Survey are concerned with chemical and physical characteristics of the surface and ground water supplies of the Nation. Most of the investigations carried on in cooperation with States and other Federal agencies deal with the amounts of matter in solution and in suspension in streams.

The records of chemical analysis, suspended sediment, and temperature for surface waters given in this volume serve as a basis for determining the suitability of the waters examined for industrial, agricultural, and domestic uses insofar as such use is affected by the dissolved or suspended mineral matter in the waters. The discharge of a stream and, to a lesser extent, the chemical quality are related to variations in rainfall and other forms of precipitation. In general, lower concentrations of dissolved solids may be expected during the periods of high flow than during periods of low flow. The concentration in some streams may change materially with relatively small variations in flow, whereas for other streams the quality may remain relatively uniform throughout large ranges in discharge. The quantities of suspended sediment carried by streams are also related to discharge, and during flood periods the sediment concentrations in many streams vary over wide ranges.

The regular yearly publication of records of chemical analyses, suspended sediment, and water temperature was begun by the Geological Survey in 1941. The annual records prior to 1948 were published in a single volume for the entire country. Beginning in 1948, the records were published in two volumes, and beginning in 1950, in four volumes, covering the drainage basins shown in figure 1. The samples for which data are given were collected from October 1, 1952, to September 30, 1953. Descriptive statements are given for each sampling station for which regular series of chemical analyses or sediment determinations have been made. These statements include the location of the stream-sampling station, drainage area, length of time for which records are available, extremes of dissolved solids, hardness, sediment loads, water temperature, and other pertinent data.

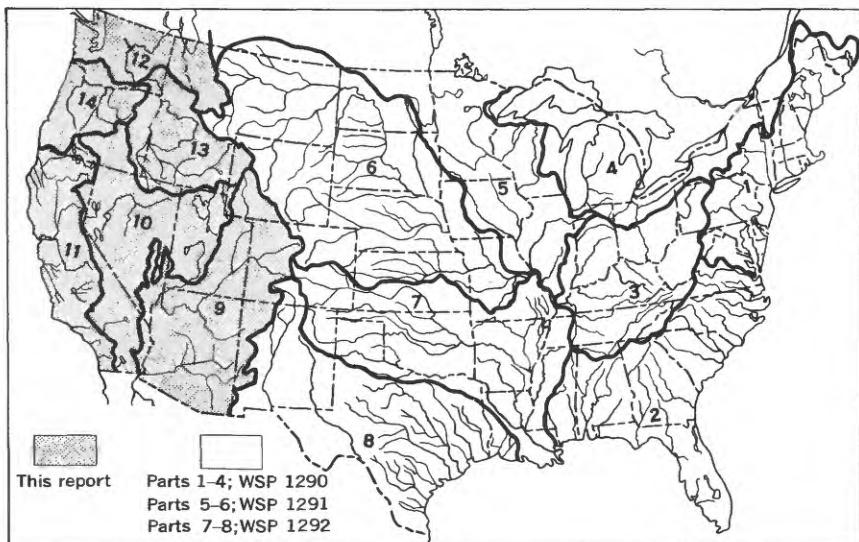


Figure 1. Map of the United States showing basins covered by the four water-supply papers on quality of surface waters in 1953. The shaded portion represents the section of the country covered by this volume; the unshaded portion represents the section of the country covered by other water-supply papers.

Records of water discharge of the streams at, or near, the sampling point for the sampling period are included in most tables of analyses. The records are arranged by drainage basins, according to Geological Survey practice in reporting records of stream flow.

Beginning with the series of reports for the water year ending September 30, 1951, the order of listing station records has been changed. In this report, stations on tributary streams are listed between stations on the main stream in the order in which those tributaries enter the main stem. Stations on tributaries to tributaries are inserted in a similar manner.

During the year ended September 30, 1953, 55 regular sampling stations on 42 streams for the study of the chemical character of surface waters were maintained by the Geological Survey in the area covered by this volume. Samples were collected less frequently during the year at many other points. Water temperatures were measured daily at 108 of the regular sampling stations. Not all analyses of samples of surface water collected during the year have been included. Single analyses of an incomplete nature generally have been omitted. Also, determinations made on the

daily samples before compositing have not been reported. Specific conductance was usually determined on each daily sample, and pH, chloride, or other determinations were also made on many of the daily samples. As noted in the table headings these data are available for reference at the district offices listed under Division of Work, on pages 19-20.

Quantities of suspended sediment are reported for 20 stations during the year ended September 30, 1953. The sediment samples were collected one or more times daily at most stations, depending on the rate of flow and changes in stage of the stream. Sediment samples were collected less frequently during the year at many other points. In connection with measurements of sediment discharge, sizes of sediment particles were determined at 19 of the stations. As noted under "Remarks" in the table headings, suspended-sediment concentrations also were determined from the samples collected for chemical analyses in some parts of the country. The data do not provide a reliable basis for computing the loads of suspended sediment carried by the stream but may be of value for design and operation of filtration plants utilizing these stream waters. Records of these infrequent determinations are available for reference in the district offices listed.

Material which is transported essentially in continuous contact with the stream bed is termed bed load and is not considered in this report. All other undissolved material in transport is termed suspended sediment and generally constitutes the major part of the total sediment load. At the present time no reliable method has been developed for determining bed load on a routine basis.

## COLLECTION AND EXAMINATION OF SAMPLES

### CHEMICAL QUALITY

Samples for chemical analyses were usually collected daily at, or near, points on streams where gaging stations are maintained for measurement of water discharge. Most of the analyses were made on 10-day composites of daily samples collected for a period of a year at each sampling point. Three composite samples were usually prepared each month by mixing together equal volumes of daily samples collected from the 1st to the 10th, from the 11th to the 20th, and during the remainder of the month. For some streams that are subject to sudden and large changes in chemical composition or concentration, samples were composited for shorter periods on the basis of the concentration of dissolved solids indicated by measurements of specific conductance of the daily samples.

The samples were analyzed according to methods regularly used by the Geological Survey. These methods are essentially the same as or are modifications of methods described in recognized

authoritative publications for the mineral analysis of water samples (Collins, 1928; Am. Public Health Assoc., 1946).

For those waters containing moderately large quantities of soluble salts, the value reported for dissolved solids is the sum of the quantities of the various determined constituents using the carbonate equivalent of the reported bicarbonate. In other analyses the value reported as dissolved solids is the residue on evaporation after drying at 180°C for 1 hour. Specific conductance is given for most analyses and was determined by means of a conductance bridge using a standard potassium chloride solution as reference.

### SUSPENDED SEDIMENT

In general, samples were collected daily with the US D-43 depth-integrating sampler (U. S. Inter-agency, 1948, p. 70-76) from a fixed sampling point at one vertical in the cross section. The US DH-48 hand sampler was used at many stations during periods of low flow. Suspended-sediment samples, consisting of depth-integrated samples at three or more verticals in the cross section were made periodically to determine the cross-sectional distribution of the suspended concentration with respect to that at the daily sampling vertical. In streams where comparatively rapid fluctuations in transverse distribution of water discharge or sediment concentration are encountered at the sampling point, samples were taken regularly at two or more verticals to determine the average concentration across the section. During periods of high flow, samples were taken two or more times throughout the day at many sampling stations, and during periods of rapidly changing flow samples were taken hourly at some stations.

Sediment concentrations were determined by filtration or evaporation of the samples as required. At many stations the mean daily concentration for some days was obtained by plotting the instantaneous concentrations on the original or copies of the original gage-height chart. The plotted concentrations adjusted, if necessary, for cross-sectional distribution with respect to that at the daily sampling vertical, were connected or averaged by continuous curves to obtain a concentration graph. This graph represented the estimated concentration at any time and, for most periods, mean daily concentrations were determined from the graph. When the concentration and water discharge were changing rapidly, the day was often subdivided for this computation. For some periods when the day-to-day variation in the concentration was negligible, the data were not plotted, and the average concentration of the samples was used as the mean concentration for the day. For certain stations, when the discharge and sediment concentrations were relatively low and varied only slightly from day to day, the

samples for a number of days were composited and the mean daily concentrations and mean daily loads are shown.

For some periods when no samples were collected, daily sediment loads were estimated on the basis of water discharge, sediment concentrations observed immediately preceding and following the periods, and sediment loads for other periods of similar discharge. The estimates were further guided by weather conditions and sediment discharge for other stations.

In many instances where there were no observations for several days, the sediment loads for individual days are not estimated, as numerous factors influencing the quantities of transported sediment made it very difficult to make accurate estimates of sediment loads for individual days. However, estimated sediment loads for missing days in an otherwise continuous period of sampling have been included in monthly and annual totals for most streams to provide a complete record.

In addition to the records of total quantities of sediment, records of the particle sizes of sediment are included also. The particle sizes of the suspended sediments were determined periodically for many of the stations. As much of the material carried in suspension can pass through the finest sieves, the bottom-withdrawal tube method (U. S. Inter-agency, 1943, p. 82-90) was used in most of the analyses. Generally, sieves were used in the determination of particle sizes for sediments which were predominantly coarser than 0.062 mm. Size distribution for some sediments was determined by a combination of sieves and pipette methods in which the size fraction 0.062 mm and larger was analyzed by sieves and that smaller than 0.062 mm was analyzed by the pipette method (Kilmer and Alexander, 1949). Native or distilled water, as noted in the tables of analyses, was used as the settling medium. In some instances, chemical dispersing agents were added to the settling medium. As settling diameters of the clay and colloidal fractions are often affected by the chemical character of the settling medium, analyses made using native water may more nearly simulate particle sizes existing in the stream. Results of analyses using distilled water or using a settling medium containing dispersing agents approximate ultimate particle sizes of the finer fractions. The concentration of sediment suspension for analysis was reduced to less than 5,000 parts per million, where necessary, by means of a sample splitter, in order to stay within limits recommended for the bottom-withdrawal tube or pipette method. The concentration of suspended sediment used in the bottom-withdrawal tube or pipette cylinder was often different from the concentration in the original suspension. The concentration at which analyses were made is indicated in the appropriate tables.

## TEMPERATURE

For most of the stations, daily water temperatures were obtained at the time that the chemical quality or sediment samples were collected. So far as practicable the water temperatures were observed at about the same time each day for an individual river station in order that the data would be relatively unaffected by diurnal variations in temperature. For most large, swiftly flowing streams the diurnal variation in water temperature is probably small, but for sluggish or shallow streams the daily range in temperature may amount to several degrees and may follow closely changes in air temperature. The thermometers used for determination of water temperature were accurate to plus or minus about 0.5°F.

Records of thermograph observations consist of maximum and minimum temperatures for each day, and the monthly averages of the maximum daily and minimum daily temperatures.

## EXPRESSION OF RESULTS

The dissolved mineral constituents are reported in parts per million. A part per million is a unit weight of a constituent in a million unit weights of water. Equivalents per million are not given in this report although the expression of analyses in equivalents per million is sometimes preferred. An equivalent per million is a unit chemical combining weight of a constituent in a million unit weights of water and is calculated by dividing the concentration in parts per million by the chemical combining weight of the constituent. For convenience in making this conversion the reciprocals of chemical combining weights of the most commonly reported constituents (ions) are given in the following table:

Constituent	Factor	Constituent	Factor
Iron ( $\text{Fe}^{++}$ ).....	0.0358	Carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3^{--}$ ) ..	0.0333
Iron ( $\text{Fe}^{+++}$ ).....	.0537	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ ) ..	.0164
Calcium ( $\text{Ca}^{++}$ ) .....	.0499	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{--}$ ) .....	.0208
Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}^{++}$ ) ...	.0822	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ ) .....	.0282
Sodium ( $\text{Na}^+$ ) .....	.0435	Fluoride ( $\text{F}^-$ ) .....	.0526
Potassium ( $\text{K}^+$ ) .....	.0256	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ ).....	.0161

Results given in parts per million can be converted to grains per United States gallon by dividing by 17.12. A calculated quan-

tity of sodium and potassium is given in some analyses and is the quantity of sodium needed in addition to the calcium and magnesium to balance the acid constituents.

The hardness, as calcium carbonate ( $\text{CaCO}_3$ ), is calculated from the equivalents of calcium and magnesium except for a few samples for which the reported values also include equivalents of free mineral acid, aluminum, iron, and manganese when present in significant quantities. The hardness caused by calcium and magnesium (and other ions if significant) equivalent to the carbonate and bicarbonate is called carbonate hardness; the hardness in excess of this quantity is called noncarbonate hardness.

In the analyses of most waters used for irrigation, the quantity of dissolved solids is given in tons per acre-foot as well as in parts per million. Percent sodium is computed for those analyses where sodium and potassium are reported separately by dividing the equivalents per million of sodium by the sum of the equivalents per million of calcium, magnesium, sodium, and potassium and multiplying the quotient by 100. In analyses where sodium and potassium were calculated and reported as a combined value, the value reported for percent sodium will include the equivalent quantity of potassium. In most waters of moderate to high concentration, the proportion of potassium is much smaller than that of sodium.

Specific conductance values are expressed in reciprocal ohms times  $10^6$  (micromhos at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ ). The discharge of the streams is reported in cubic feet-per second (see Streamflow, p. 20) and the temperature in degrees Fahrenheit. Color is expressed in units of the platinum-cobalt scale proposed by Hazen (1892, p. 427-428). Hydrogen-ion concentration is expressed in terms of pH units. By definition the pH value of a solution is the negative logarithm of the concentration of gram ions of hydrogen. However, the pH meter which is generally used in Survey laboratories, determines the activity of the hydrogen ions as distinguished from concentration.

An average of analyses (arithmetical or weighted) for the water year is given for most daily sampling stations. An arithmetical average represents the composition of water that would be contained in a vessel or reservoir that had received equal quantities of water from the river each day for the water year. A weighted average represents approximately the composition of water that would be found in a reservoir containing all of the water passing a given station during the year after thorough mixing in the reservoir. The weighted average of the analyses is computed by multiplying the discharge for the sampling period by the quantities of the individual constituents for the corresponding period and dividing the sum of the products by the sum of the discharges. Water as represented by the weighted average is less concentrated than that represented by the average of the individual analyses for most streams because at times of high discharge the rivers generally have lower concentrations of dissolved solids.

Mean daily sediment concentrations are expressed in parts per million by weight. A part per million of sediment is computed as

1,000,000 times the ratio of the weight of sediment to the weight of water-sediment mixture. Daily sediment loads are expressed in tons per day, and except for subdivided days are usually obtained by multiplying daily mean sediment concentration in parts per million by the daily mean discharge, and the appropriate conversion factor, normally 0.0027.

Particle-size analyses are expressed in percentages finer than indicated sizes in millimeters. The size classification used in this report is that recommended by the American Geophysical Union Subcommittee on sediment terminology (Lane, et al; 1947, p. 937). Other data included as pertinent to the size analyses for many streams are the date of collection, the stream discharge and sediment concentration when sample was collected, the concentration of the suspension during analysis, and the method of analysis.

## COMPOSITION OF SURFACE WATERS

All natural waters contain dissolved mineral matter. Water in contact with soils or rock, even for only a few hours, will dissolve some rock materials. The quantity of dissolved mineral matter in a natural water depends primarily on the type of rocks or soils through which the water has passed and the length of time it has been in contact with the rocks or soils. Some streams are fed by both surface runoff and underground water from springs or seeps. Such streams reflect the chemical character of their concentrated underground sources during dry periods and are more dilute during periods of heavy rainfall. Underground water is usually more highly concentrated than surface runoff as it remains in contact with the rocks and soils for much longer periods. The concentration of dissolved solids in a river water is frequently increased by drainage from mines or oil fields, by the addition of industrial or municipal wastes, or--in irrigated regions--by return drain waters.

The mineral constituents and physical properties of natural waters reported in the tables of analyses include those that have a practical bearing on the value of the waters for most purposes. The analyses generally include results for silica, iron, calcium, magnesium, sodium, potassium (or sodium and potassium together as sodium), bicarbonate, sulfate, chloride, fluoride, nitrate, boron, and dissolved solids. Aluminum, manganese, color, pH, acidity, oxygen consumed, and other dissolved constituents and physical properties are reported for certain streams. The source and significance of the different constituents and properties of natural waters are discussed in the following paragraphs.

## MINERAL CONSTITUENTS IN SOLUTION

### Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )

Silica is dissolved from practically all rocks. Some natural surface waters contain less than 5 parts per million of silica and few contain more than 50 parts, but the more common range is from 10 to 30 parts per million. Silica affects the usefulness of a water because it contributes to the formation of boiler scale; it usually is removed from feed water for high-pressure boilers. Silica also forms troublesome deposits on the blades of steam turbines.

### Aluminum (Al)

Aluminum is usually present only in negligible quantities in natural waters except in areas where the waters have been in contact with the more soluble rocks of high aluminum content such as bauxite and certain shales. Acid waters often contain large amounts of aluminum. It may be troublesome in feed waters where it tends to be deposited as a scale on boiler tubes.

### Manganese (Mn)

Manganese is dissolved in appreciable quantities from rocks in some sections of the country. Waters impounded in large reservoirs may contain manganese that has been dissolved from the mud on the bottom of the reservoir by action of carbon dioxide produced by anaerobic fermentation of organic matter. Manganese is not regularly determined in areas where it is not present in the waters in appreciable amounts. It is especially objectionable in water used in laundry work and in textile processing. Concentrations as low as 0.2 part per million may cause a dark-brown or black stain on fabrics and porcelain fixtures. Appreciable quantities of manganese are often found in waters containing objectionable quantities of iron.

### Iron (Fe)

Iron is dissolved from many rocks and soils. On exposure to the air, normal basic waters that contain more than 1 part per

million of iron soon become turbid with the insoluble reddish ferric oxide produced by oxidation. Surface waters, therefore, seldom contain as much as 1 part per million of dissolved iron, although some acid waters carry large quantities of iron in solution. Iron causes reddish-brown stains on white porcelain or enameled ware and fixtures and on fabrics washed in the water.

### Calcium (Ca)

Calcium is dissolved from practically all rocks and soils, but the highest concentrations are usually found in waters that have been in contact with limestone, dolomite, and gypsum. Calcium and magnesium make water hard and are largely responsible for the formation of boiler scale. Most waters associated with granite or silicious sands contain less than 10 parts per million of calcium; waters in areas where rocks are composed of dolomite and limestone contain from 30 to 100 parts per million; and waters that have come in contact with deposits of gypsum may contain several hundred parts per million.

### Magnesium (Mg)

Magnesium is dissolved from many rocks, particularly from dolomitic rocks. Its effect in water is similar to that of calcium. The magnesium in softwaters may amount to only 1 or 2 parts per million, but water in areas that contain large quantities of dolomite or other magnesium-bearing rocks may contain from 20 to 100 parts per million or more of magnesium.

### Sodium and potassium (Na and K)

Sodium and potassium are dissolved from practically all rocks. Sodium is the predominant cation in some of the more highly mineralized waters found in the western United States. Natural waters that contain only 3 or 4 parts per million of the two together are likely to carry almost as much potassium as sodium. As the total quantity of these constituents increases, the proportion of sodium becomes much greater. Moderate quantities of sodium and potassium have little effect on the usefulness of the water for most purposes, but waters that carry more than 50 or 100 parts per million of the two may require careful operation of steam boilers to prevent foaming. More highly mineralized waters that contain a large proportion of sodium salts may be unsatisfactory for irrigation.

### Carbonate and bicarbonate ( $\text{CO}_3$ and $\text{HCO}_3$ )

Bicarbonate occurs in waters largely through the action of carbon dioxide, which enables the water to dissolve carbonates of calcium and magnesium. Carbonate as such is not usually present in appreciable quantities in natural waters. The bicarbonate in waters that come from relatively insoluble rocks may amount to less than 50 parts per million; many waters from limestone contain from 200 to 400 parts per million. Bicarbonate in moderate concentrations in water has no effect on its value for most uses. Bicarbonate or carbonate is an aid in coagulation for the removal of suspended matter from water.

### Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )

Sulfate is dissolved from many rocks and soils--in especially large quantities from gypsum and from beds of shale. It is formed also by the oxidation of sulfides of iron and is therefore present in considerable quantities in waters from mines. Sulfate in waters that contain much calcium and magnesium causes the formation of hard scale in steam boilers and may increase the cost of softening the water.

### Chloride (Cl)

Chloride is dissolved from rock materials in all parts of the country. Surface waters in the humid regions are usually low in chloride, whereas streams in arid or semiarid regions may contain several hundred parts per million of chloride leached from soils and rocks, especially where the streams receive return drainage from irrigated lands or are affected by ground-water-inflow carrying appreciable quantities of chloride. Large quantities of chloride may affect the industrial use of water by increasing the corrosiveness of waters that contain large quantities of calcium and magnesium.

### Fluoride (F)

Fluoride has been reported as being present in some rocks to about the same extent as chloride. However, the quantity of fluoride in natural surface waters is ordinarily very small compared to that of chloride. Recent investigations indicate that the incidence of dental caries is less when there are small amounts of

fluoride present in the water supply than when there is none. However, excess fluoride in water is associated with the dental defect known as mottled enamel if the water is used for drinking by young children during calcification or formation of the teeth (Dean, 1936, p. 1269-1272). This defect becomes increasingly noticeable as the quantity of fluoride in water increases above 1.5 to 2.0 parts per million.

#### Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )

Nitrate in water is considered a final oxidation product of nitrogenous material and in some instances may indicate previous contamination by sewage or other organic matter. The quantities of nitrate present in surface waters usually amount to less than 5 parts per million (as  $\text{NO}_3$ ) and have no effect on the value of the water for ordinary uses.

It has been reported that as much as 2 parts per million of nitrate in boiler water tends to decrease intercrystalline cracking of boiler steel. Studies made in Illinois indicate that nitrates in excess of 70 parts per million (as  $\text{NO}_3$ ) may contribute to methemoglobinemia ("blue babies") (Faucett and Miller, 1946, p. 593), and more recent investigations conducted in Ohio show that drinking water containing nitrates in the range of 44 to 88 parts per million or more (as  $\text{NO}_3$ ) may be the cause of methemoglobinemia in infants (Waring, 1949). In a report published by the National Research Council, Maxcy (1950, p. 271) concludes that a nitrate content in excess of 44 parts per million (as  $\text{NO}_3$ ) should be regarded as unsafe for infant feeding.

#### Boron (B)

Boron in small quantities has been found essential for plant growth, but irrigation water containing more than 1 part per million boron is detrimental to citrus and other boron-sensitive crops. Boron is reported in Survey analyses of surface waters in arid and semiarid regions of the Southwest and West where irrigation is practiced or contemplated, but few of the surface waters analyzed have harmful concentrations of boron.

#### Dissolved solids

The reported quantity of dissolved solids--the residue on evaporation--consists mainly of the dissolved mineral constituents in the water. It may also contain some organic matter and water of crystallization. Waters with less than 500 parts per million of dis-

solved solids are usually satisfactory for domestic and some industrial uses. Waters containing several thousand parts per million of dissolved solids are sometimes successfully used for irrigation where practices permit the removal of soluble salts through the application of large volumes of water on well-drained lands.

## PROPERTIES AND CHARACTERISTICS OF WATER

### Oxygen consumed

The value for oxygen consumed furnishes an approximation of the oxidizable matter in the unfiltered and filtered samples and gives a partial measure of polluting materials such as sewage and oxidizable industrial wastes. Naturally highly colored waters may have relatively high oxygen consumed, although waters that are not noticeably colored may contain oxidizable material.

### Color

In water analysis the term "color" refers to the appearance of water that is free from suspended solids. Many turbid waters that appear yellow, red, or brown when viewed in the stream show very little color after the suspended matter has been removed. The yellow-to-brown color of some waters is usually caused by organic matter extracted from leaves, roots, and other organic substances in the ground. In some areas objectionable color in water results from industrial wastes and sewage. Clear deep water may appear blue as the result of a scattering of sunlight by the water molecules. Water for domestic use and some industrial uses should be free from any perceptible color. A color less than 10 units usually passes unnoticed. Some swamp waters have natural color of 200 to 300 units or more.

### Hydrogen-ion concentration (pH)

The degree of acidity or alkalinity of water, as indicated by the hydrogen-ion concentration, expressed as pH, is related to the corrosive properties of water, and is useful in determining the proper treatment for coagulation that may be necessary at water-treatment plants. A pH value of 7.0 indicates that the water is neither acid nor alkaline. Waters having pH values progressively lower than 7.0 denote increasing acidity, whereas values progressively higher than 7.0 denote increasing alkalinity (see p. 7). The pH of most natural surface waters ranges between 6

and 8. Some alkaline surface waters have pH values greater than 8.0, and waters containing free mineral acid usually have pH values less than 4.5.

#### Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)

The specific conductance of a water is a measure of its capacity to conduct a current of electricity. The conductance varies with the concentration and degree of ionization of the different minerals in solution and with the temperature of the water. When considered in conjunction with results of determinations for other constituents, specific conductance is a useful determination and plays an important part in indicating changes in concentration of the total quantity of dissolved minerals in surface waters. (See p. 7.)

#### Hardness

Hardness is the characteristic of water that receives the most attention in industrial and domestic use. It is usually recognized by the increased quantity of soap required to produce lather. The use of hard water is also objectionable because it contributes to the formation of scale in boilers, water heaters, radiators, and pipes, with the resultant decrease in rate of heat transfer, possibility of boiler failure, and loss of flow.

Hardness is caused almost entirely by compounds of calcium and magnesium. Other constituents--such as iron, manganese, aluminum, barium, strontium, and free acid--also cause hardness, although they usually are not present in quantities large enough to have any appreciable effect. Water that has less than 60 parts per million of hardness is usually rated as soft and suitable for many purposes without further softening. Waters with hardness ranging from 61 to 120 parts per million may be considered moderately hard, but this degree of hardness does not seriously interfere with the use of water for many purposes except for use in high-pressure steam boilers and in some industrial processes. Waters with hardness ranging from 121 to 200 parts per million are considered hard, and laundries and industries may profitably soften such supplies. Water with hardness above 200 parts per million usually requires some softening before being used for most purposes.

#### Total acidity

The total acidity of a natural water represents the content of free carbon dioxide, mineral acids, and salts--especially sulfates

of iron and aluminum-- that hydrolyze to give hydrogen ions. Acid waters are very corrosive and generally contain excessive amounts of objectionable constituents, such as iron, aluminum, and manganese.

### Corrosiveness

The corrosiveness of a water is that property which makes the water aggressive to metal surfaces and frequently results in the appearance of the "red water" caused by solution of iron. The disadvantages of iron in water have been discussed previously. Additionally, corrosion causes the deterioration of water pipes, steam boilers, and water-heating equipment. Many waters that do not appreciably corrode cold-water lines will aggressively attack hot-water lines. Oxygen, carbon dioxide, free acid, and acid-generating salts are the principal constituents in water that cause corrosion. In a general way, very soft waters of low mineral content tend to be more corrosive than hard waters containing appreciable quantities of carbonates and bicarbonates of calcium and magnesium.

### Percent sodium

Percent sodium is reported in most of the analyses of waters collected from streams in the western part of the country where irrigation is practiced extensively. The proportion of sodium to all the basic constituents in the water has a bearing on the suitability of a water for irrigation. (See p. 7.) Waters in which the percent sodium is more than 60 may be injurious when applied to certain types of soils, particularly when adequate drainage is not provided (Magistad and Christiansen, 1944, p. 8-9; Wilcox, 1948, p. 6).

### Sodium-adsorption-ratio

Sodium-adsorption-ratio (SAR) is the relative proportion of sodium to other cations in an irrigation water.

$$\text{SAR} = \frac{\text{Na}^+}{\sqrt{(\text{Ca}^{++} + \text{Mg}^{++})/2}}$$

where the ionic concentrations are expressed in milliequivalents per liter (or equivalents per million for most irrigation waters).

The term is used for soil extracts and irrigation waters to ex-

press the relative activity of sodium ions in exchange reactions with soil. SAR provides an estimate of the sodium or alkali hazard and reportedly is more significant for interpreting water quality than percent sodium because it relates more directly to the exchangeable sodium percentage the soil will attain when it and the water are in equilibrium.

The U. S. Salinity Laboratory diagram for classifying waters for irrigation divides water into four classes with respect to sodium hazard, the dividing points being at SAR values of 10, 18, and 26. They range from low-sodium water that can be used for irrigation on almost all soils to very high-sodium water which is generally unsatisfactory for irrigation.

## SEDIMENT

Fluvial sediment is generally regarded as that sediment which is transported by, suspended in, or deposited by water. Suspended sediment is that sediment which remains in suspension in water owing to the upward components of turbulent currents or by colloidal suspension. Most fluvial sediment results from the normal process of erosion, which in turn is part of the geologic cycle of rock transformation. In some instances, this normal process may have been accelerated by agricultural practices. Sediment also results from a number of industrial activities. In certain sections, waste materials from mining, logging, oil-field, and other industrial operations introduce large quantities of suspended as well as dissolved material.

The quantity of sediment, transported or available for transportation, is affected by climatic conditions, form or nature of precipitation, vegetal cover, topography, and land use. An important property of fluvial sediment is the fall velocity of the particles in transport. Particle sizes, as determined by various methods, represent mechanical diameters, which are related to sedimentation diameters indirectly. Sediment particles in the sand-size (larger than 0.062 mm) range do not appear to be affected by flocculation or dispersion resulting from the mineral constituents in solution. The sedimentation diameter of clay and silt particles in suspension may vary considerably from point to point in a stream or reservoir, depending on the mineral matter in solution and in suspension and the degree of turbulence present. The size of sediment particles in transport at any point depends on the type of erodible and soluble material in the drainage area, the degree of flocculation present, time in transport, and characteristics of the transporting flow. The flow characteristics include velocity of water, turbulence, and the depth, width, and roughness of the channel. As a result of these variable charac-

teristics, the size of particles transported, as well as the total sediment load, is in constant adjustment with the characteristics and physical features of the stream and drainage area.

## PUBLICATIONS

Reports giving chemical analyses, suspended-sediment loads, and water temperatures of samples of surface water made by the Geological Survey have been published yearly since 1941. Records for the years ended September 30, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, and 1952, for many of the stations listed in this report are given in Water-Supply Papers 942, 950, 970, 1022, 1030, 1050, 1102, 1133, 1163, 1189, 1200, and 1253.

Geological Survey reports containing analyses of surface-water samples collected prior to 1941 are listed below. Publications dealing largely with the quality of ground-water supplies and only incidentally covering the chemical composition of surface-waters are not included. Publications that are out of print are preceded by an asterisk.

### PROFESSIONAL PAPER

- \*135. Composition of river and lake waters of the United States, 1924.

### BULLETINS

- \*479. The geochemical interpretation of water analyses, 1911.
- 770. The data of geochemistry, 1924.

### WATER-SUPPLY PAPERS

- \*108. Quality of water in the Susquehanna River drainage basin, with an introductory chapter on physiographic features, 1904.
- \*161. Quality of water in the upper Ohio River basin and at Erie, Pa., 1906.
- \*193. The quality of surface waters in Minnesota, 1907.
- \*236. The quality of surface waters in the United States, Part 1, Analyses of waters east of the one hundredth meridian, 1909.

- \*237. The quality of the surface waters of California, 1910.
- \*239. The quality of the surface waters of Illinois, 1910.
- \*273. Quality of the water supplies of Kansas, with a preliminary report on stream pollution by mine waters in southeastern Kansas, 1911.
- \*274. Some stream waters of the western United States, with chapters on sediment carried by the Rio Grande and the industrial application of water analyses, 1911.
- \*339. Quality of the surface waters of Washington, 1914.
- \*363. Quality of the surface waters of Oregon, 1914.
- \*418. Mineral springs of Alaska, with a chapter on the chemical character of some surface waters of Alaska, 1917.
- \*596-B. Quality of water of Colorado River in 1925-26, 1928.
- \*596-D. Quality of water of Pecos River in Texas, 1928.
- \*596-E. Quality of the surface waters of New Jersey, 1928.
- \*636-A. Quality of water of the Colorado River in 1926-28, 1930.
- \*636-B. Suspended matter in the Colorado River in 1925-28, 1930.
- \*638-D. Quality of water of the Colorado River in 1928-30, 1932.
- \*839. Quality of water of the Rio Grande basin above Fort Quitman, Tex., 1938.
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- \*998. Suspended sediment in the Colorado River, 1925-41, 1947.
- 1048. Discharge and sediment loads in the Boise River drainage basin, Idaho, 1939-40, 1948.
- 1110-C. Quality of water of Conchas Reservoir, New Mexico, 1939-49, 1952.

Many of the reports listed are available for consultation in the larger public and institutional libraries. Copies of Geological Survey publications still in print may be purchased at a nominal cost from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C., who will, upon request, furnish lists giving prices.

## COOPERATION

Financial assistance was furnished by the Bureau of Reclamation of the United States Department of the Interior, in the operation of some stations in Arizona. Investigations of chemical quality in the Great Basin and Pacific Slope basins in California were carried on in cooperation with the State of California. Financial assistance was also furnished by the Corps of Engineers, United States Army, in operation of a sediment and chemical quality station on the East Fork Russian River near Ukiah, Calif. Investigations of chemical quality in the upper Virgin River basin, Utah, were initiated in 1951 in cooperation with the State of Utah.

Sedimentation studies in the Pacific Slope basins in Washington were begun in 1950 with the City of Tacoma.

Assistance in collecting records was given by many municipal, State, and Federal agencies.

In addition to the cooperative program, many of the stations were operated from funds appropriated directly to the Geological Survey for quality-of-water investigations. Investigation of the chemical quality and suspended-sediment loads in the Colorado River basin in Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, and Utah have been carried on as a continuing Federal project since 1925.

## DIVISION OF WORK

The quality-of-water program was conducted by the Water Resources Division of the Geological Survey, C. G. Paulsen, Chief Hydraulic Engineer, and S. K. Love, Chief of the Quality of Water Branch. The records were collected and prepared for publication under supervision of district or regional chemists as follows: In Arizona and New Mexico--J. D. Hem; in Colorado and Wyoming (Colorado River basin), Nevada, Utah, California, Washington, Oregon, and Idaho--C. S. Howard. Any additional information on file may be obtained by writing or visiting the responsible Survey Quality of Water district office as listed in the following table.

<u>District office</u>	<u>Drainage basin</u>
Geology Bldg. University of N. Mex. Post Office Box 4103 Albuquerque, N. Mex.	Colorado River basin (Arizona, New Mexico).
Post Office Box 2657 Building 504 Fort Douglas Salt Lake City, Utah	Colorado River basin (Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, and Nevada). The Great Basin (Utah, Nevada).
2520 Marconi Avenue Sacramento, Calif.	The Great Basin (California). Pacific Slope basins in California.

<u>District office</u>	<u>Drainage basin</u>
1001 N. E. Lloyd Blvd. Post Office Box 3418 Portland 14, Oreg.	Pacific Slope basins in Washington and upper Columbia River basin. Snake River basin.
	Pacific Slope basins in Oregon and lower Columbia River basin.

## STREAMFLOW

Most of the records of stream discharge, used in conjunction with the chemical analyses and in the computation of sediment loads in this volume, are published in Geological Survey reports on the surface-water supply of the United States. The discharge reported for a composite sample is usually the average of the mean daily discharges for the normal composite period. For analyses in which the composite periods differ from the normal 10 or 11-day period, the discharges reported are the averages of the mean daily discharges for the days indicated. The discharges reported in the tables of single analyses are either daily mean discharges or discharges for the time at which samples were collected, computed from a stage-discharge relation or from a discharge measurement.

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## CHEMICAL ANALYSES, WATER TEMPERATURES, AND SUSPENDED SEDIMENT

## PART 9. COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM

## COLORADO RIVER AT HOT SPRINGS, COLO.

LOCATION.—At bridge at Hot Sulphur Springs, Grand County, 1 mile downstream from gaging station which is 3 miles upstream from Beaver Creek.  
DRAINAGE AREA.—772 square miles (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: April 1949 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: April 1949 to September 1953.

EXTREMES: 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 103 ppm; July 21-31; minimum, 33 ppm; June 1-10.

Hardness: Maximum, 69 ppm; July 21-31; minimum, 33 ppm; June 1-10.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 162 micromhos July 28; minimum daily, 72.5 micromhos May 29.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 72° F July 27; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during November to February.

EXTREMES: 1947-53.—Dissolved solids (1947-50, 1952-53): Maximum, 109 ppm June 11-20, 1950; minimum, 38 ppm June 21-30, 1947.

Hardness: (1947-50, 1952-53): Maximum, 71 ppm Aug. 11-20, 1950; minimum, 20 ppm June 21-30, 1947.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 202 micromhos July 31, 1952; minimum daily, 47.6 micromhos June 27, 1947.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 72° F July 27, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

## Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180° C)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Percent calcium magnesium and neon-	Specific conductance (micro- mhos at 25° C)	Col- or			
														Paris Tons per milli- lion	Paris Tons per acre- foot	Tons per milli- lion							
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	180	9.2	0.18	13	3.0	4.6	1.6	62	4.5	1.0	0.3	0.4	--	.75	0.10	36.4	45	0	18	0.3	109	7.2	10
Oct. 11-20 .....	186	8.6	.19	13	2.9	4.6	1.6	59	5.1	1.0	0.3	0.3	.75	.10	.367	.44	0	18	.3	109	7.2	15	
Oct. 21-31 .....	186	8.6	.20	13	2.9	4.6	1.6	59	5.1	1.0	0.3	.4	--	.10	.367	.44	0	18	.3	107	7.0	10	
Nov. 1-10 .....	102	12	.10	17	3.8	5.9	1.6	76	7.3	1.1	.3	.4	--	.93	.13	.256	.58	0	18	.3	135	7.2	10
Nov. 11-20 .....	196	13	.10	16	3.9	6.6	1.3	78	7.3	1.2	.3	.4	.06	.96	.13	.257	.56	0	20	.4	139	7.2	10
Nov. 21-30 .....	98.8	12	.07	17	3.8	6.6	1.5	76	7.2	1.2	.3	.3	--	.95	.13	.253	.56	0	19	.4	140	7.2	10
Dec. 1-10 .....	111	14	.04	16	3.5	7.0	1.3	75	6.7	.9	.3	.3	--	.86	.12	.258	.54	0	21	.4	133	7.0	6
Dec. 11-20 .....	102	14	.07	15	6.8	1.3	69	6.6	.9	.3	.4	.04	.83	.11	.229	.50	0	22	.4	127	6.9	5	
Dec. 21-31 .....	87.6	13	.06	16	3.3	6.6	1.3	69	6.8	1.0	.3	.4	--	.83	.11	.196	.53	0	21	.4	127	7.0	5
Jan. 1-10, 1953 .....	93.4	13	.20	16	3.1	6.6	1.3	69	6.7	1.0	.3	.5	--	.83	.11	.209	.53	0	21	.4	127	6.9	5
Jan. 11-20 .....	90.2	13	.07	15	3.4	6.6	1.3	70	6.3	1.0	.3	.3	.02	.81	.11	.197	.51	0	21	.4	126	6.9	5
Jan. 21-31 .....	87.1	12	.06	16	3.4	6.4	1.1	68	6.2	1.0	.3	.8	--	.84	.11	.198	.51	0	21	.4	126	6.9	5
Feb. 1-10 .....	86.8	12	.04	15	3.0	6.8	1.4	68	6.7	1.0	.4	.7	--	.83	.11	.195	.50	0	22	.4	125	7.3	7
Feb. 11-19 .....	83.1	12	.08	16	3.3	5.3	1.5	68	6.0	1.0	.4	1.1	.02	.85	.12	.191	.53	0	22	.4	126	7.0	7
Feb. 20-28 .....	85.6	12	.07	17	3.3	4.8	1.4	70	5.9	1.4	.2	.7	--	.84	.11	.194	.56	0	15	.3	129	7.2	8
Mar. 1-10 .....	93.8	12	.07	16	3.0	6.8	1.5	70	6.8	1.1	.3	.9	--	.84	.11	.213	.52	0	21	.4	131	7.4	8
Mar. 11-20 .....	100	12	.07	16	3.5	7.1	1.8	74	7.4	1.0	.3	.8	.04	.87	.12	.235	.54	0	21	.4	130	7.3	8
Mar. 21-31 .....	114	10	.11	16	3.3	7.1	3.0	73	8.0	1.9	.5	.8	--	.83	.12	.280	.53	0	21	.4	142	7.3	20

Apr. 1-10 1953...	124	13	.17	18	3.6	7.6	2.3	7.9	9.8	1.7	.5	.7	.4	152
Apr. 11-20 .....	134	13	.17	18	3.5	7.6	1.7	7.1	7.7	1.2	.4	.3	.4	147
Apr. 21-30 .....	239	11	.17	17	3.4	6.7	2.6	7.6	7.3	1.6	.4	.8	-.6	115
May 1-10 .....	274	10	.11	14	2.8	5.9	2.0	6.0	6.0	1.4	.4	1.1	-.6	7.1
May 11-21 .....	307	10	.12	15	3.1	5.7	2.0	6.2	6.6	1.4	.5	1.5	-.6	7.1
May 22-31 .....	1,042	10	.16	10	2.4	4.6	1.6	4.4	5.5	1.0	.5	1.3	-.6	35
June 1-10 .....	901	10	.10	9.9	2.1	4.2	1.6	4.4	4.7	.6	.5	1.1	-.6	60
June 11-20 .....	917	12	.07	14	2.5	3.8	1.3	5.4	4.6	.4	.5	.8	-.3	32.8
June 21-30 .....	494	13	.10	15	2.7	4.2	1.5	6.2	4.4	.6	.4	.7	-.7	98
July 1-10 .....	267	15	.05	18	3.5	5.3	1.5	77	5.3	1.2	.5	1.0	-.4	60
July 11-20 .....	307	15	.07	20	3.8	6.0	1.5	85	5.3	.6	.5	.8	-.7	59
July 21-31 .....	244	17	.07	21	4.0	6.0	2.0	88	4.9	1.6	.5	1.0	-.7	46
Aug. 1-10 .....	280	16	.08	20	4.4	6.0	1.7	82	5.5	1.0	.4	.6	-.7	59
Aug. 11-20 .....	184	16	.10	19	3.8	5.6	2.2	80	5.3	1.6	.4	.6	-.3	34
Aug. 21-31 .....	157	14	.02	17	3.7	5.8	1.6	77	5.9	.7	.3	.5	-.7	143
Sep. 1-10 .....	105	14	.03	18	3.9	5.8	1.6	77	6.1	1.7	.3	.6	-.7	124
Sep. 11-20 .....	86.1	13	.05	18	4.1	5.8	1.6	77	6.3	1.4	.3	.6	-.4	124
Sep. 21-30 .....	69.1	13	.04	17	3.7	5.8	1.6	78	6.5	1.2	.3	.6	-.7	116
Weighted average .....	227	12	0.11	15	3.0	5.3	1.7	64	5.6	1.0	0.4	0.8	-.8	152

COLORADO RIVER BASIN

COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

COLORADO RIVER AT HOT SULPHUR SPRINGS, COLO.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1959 to September 1960												
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	43	38	--	32	32	33	33	42	48	62	70	61
2	43	38	32	32	32	33	33	38	47	60	67	60
3	43	36	32	32	32	33	33	40	53	68	68	58
4	43	33	32	32	33	33	33	48	51	64	68	58
5	46	32	32	32	33	33	33	49	54	64	69	58
6	42	32	32	32	32	33	33	49	50	62	70	57
7	38	32	32	32	32	33	33	53	56	68	--	62
8	38	35	32	32	32	33	33	--	51	--	68	61
9	39	35	32	32	33	33	33	50	53	68	70	64
10	39	32	32	32	33	33	33	48	57	67	70	61
11	42	32	32	32	33	33	33	47	61	65	70	58
12	40	32	32	32	33	33	33	50	60	68	69	54
13	43	32	32	32	--	33	33	49	60	68	70	56
14	38	32	32	32	33	33	33	50	64	68	69	57
15	34	32	32	32	33	33	33	48	62	69	69	58
16	35	32	32	32	33	33	33	49	63	70	69	60
17	39	32	32	--	33	33	33	48	63	67	70	64
18	36	32	32	32	33	33	33	49	65	68	70	57
19	39	32	32	32	33	33	33	46	60	70	70	56
20	40	32	32	32	33	33	33	44	65	70	70	57
21	39	32	32	32	33	33	33	50	63	68	68	59
22	37	32	32	32	33	33	--	51	59	67	69	57
23	37	32	32	32	33	33	41	50	60	70	70	52
24	36	32	32	32	33	33	44	48	65	71	68	53
25	36	32	32	32	33	33	42	--	--	67	--	58
26	35	32	32	32	33	33	48	48	64	70	62	59
27	35	32	32	32	33	33	50	49	65	72	61	54
28	34	32	32	32	33	33	46	47	65	68	61	56
29	34	32	32	32	--	33	48	52	60	68	60	60
30	35	32	32	32	--	33	42	51	62	70	59	66
31	34	--	32	32	--	33	--	50	--	70	61	--
Average		38	33	32	32	33	36	48	58	68	67	58

## EAGLE RIVER BASIN

## EAGLE RIVER AT GYPSUM, COLO.

LOCATION.—At bridge at Gypsum, Eagle County, about 400 feet upstream from Gypsum Creek and U. S. Highways 6 and 24, and about 475 feet upstream from sampling station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—344 square miles above sampling station (957 square miles above Gypsum).  
RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: April 1949 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: April 1949 to September 1953.

EXTREMS 1932-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum daily, 1,440 micromhos Sept. 29; minimum daily, 161 micromhos June 4.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 880 ppm Sept. 29; minimum daily, 106 ppm June 11-20.  
Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 67°F Aug. 11-25; minimum observed, 33°F on several days during December to February.

EXTREMS, 1947-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,370 ppm Aug. 11-12, 1952; minimum, 106 ppm June 11-20, 1953.

Hardness (1947-50): Maximum, 511 ppm Sept. 31-50, 1948; minimum, 78 ppm June 1-10, 1948.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,449; minimum daily, 156 micromhos June 4, 1948.  
Water temperatures (1949-53): Maximum observed, 76°F Aug. 24, 1949; minimum observed, 59°F Aug. 24, 1949; minimum observed, 53°F Aug. 24, 1949; maximum observed, 76°F Aug. 24, 1949; minimum observed, 59°F Aug. 24, 1949; minimum observed, 53°F Aug. 24, 1949.

Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Discharge records for sampling station below Gypsum for water year October 1932 to September 1953 given in WSP 1233. These records include the inflow of Gypsum Creek which on the average amounts to about 5 to 7 percent of the annual runoff at the sampling station. No other appreciable inflow between sampling point and sampling station except during periods of heavy local rains.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1932 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (K)	Sodium (Na)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)		Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium-magnesium	Percent sodium-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Color
														Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot					
Oct. 1-10, 1932	233	--	--	122	61	188	259	87	2.0	0.07	639	0.87	402	--	24	1.3	982	--	8.0	
Oct. 11-31, 1932	211	10	126	29	66	167	277	97	2.2	--	692	.94	415	260	25	1.4	1,020	8.0		
Nov. 1-30, 1932	228	--	--	119	22	184	249	86	3.1	--	722	.96	444	433	280	--	1,060	8.0		
Dec. 1-10, 1932	228	--	--	119	22	184	249	86	3.1	--	738	1.00	454	--	27	1.5	989	8.1		
Dec. 11-20, 1932	252	11	--	119	22	184	249	86	3.1	--	684	.90	452	386	235	--	1,110	--		
Dec. 21-31, 1932	223	--	--	119	22	184	252	100	2.3	.06	755	1.03	455	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Jan. 1-10, 1933	253	--	--	119	22	184	252	100	2.3	--	675	.92	461	461	29	1.6	1,010	7.9		
Jan. 11-20, 1933	209	11	--	119	22	184	252	100	2.3	--	688	.93	387	390	239	--	1,010	--		
Jan. 21-31, 1933	193	--	--	117	23	172	248	111	2.4	--	669	.91	349	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Feb. 1-10, 1933	192	--	--	117	23	172	248	111	2.4	--	686	.93	356	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Feb. 11-20, 1933	178	9.8	--	117	23	172	248	111	2.4	--	686	.93	330	386	245	31	1.8	1,070	7.8	
Feb. 21-28, 1933	178	--	--	117	23	172	248	111	2.4	--	703	.96	338	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Mar. 1-10, 1933	193	--	--	117	23	172	248	111	2.4	--	703	.96	338	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Mar. 11-20, 1933	194	10	20	65	65	170	242	92	1.3	--	681	.93	355	--	229	28	1.5	982	8.0	
Mar. 21-31, 1933	209	--	--	114	20	170	242	92	1.3	--	641	.87	336	368	--	--	--	894	--	
Apr. 1-10, 1933	214	--	--	114	20	170	242	92	1.3	--	585	.90	330	--	--	--	--	864	--	
Apr. 11-20, 1933	187	8.5	99	19	69	158	209	102	.5	.05	562	.76	299	325	195	32	1.7	946	8.0	
Apr. 21-22, 1933	212	--	--	114	20	170	242	92	1.3	--	524	.71	300	321	--	--	--	818	--	
Apr. 23-30, 1933	377	--	--	114	20	170	242	92	1.3	--	315	.43	321	--	--	--	--	503	--	

## EAGLE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## EAGLE RIVER AT GIPSUM, COLO.--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued												Dissolved solids (residue at 160°C)						Dissolved solids (residue at 25°C)					
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Percent calcium carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH			
May 1-7, 1953	299	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	344	0.47	278	--	--	--	--	54.8	--			
May 8-10	476	--	--	10	20	51	4.7	112	83	28	1.1	1.1	--	246	.33	316	--	--	--	--	397	--			
May 11-22	428	8.8	--	31	4.7	5.1	--	78	34	5.6	1.1	1.1	--	272	.37	314	170	78	21	0.7	441	7.7			
May 23-31	2,183	6.9	--	2,868	5.6	25	3.7	4.6	66	26	5.2	.5	--	137	.19	807	97	33	10	.2	221	7.7			
June 1-10	3,730	--	--	3,700	3.2	4.1	--	66	25	4.3	.5	--	--	111	.15	860	77	23	11	.2	179	7.5			
June 11-20	1,924	--	--	1,924	1.7	1.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	106	.14	1,070	73	19	11	.2	174	7.7			
June 21-30	1,924	--	--	1,924	1.7	1.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	150	.20	770	--	--	--	--	247	--			
July 1-10	1,079	--	--	871	8.0	58	8.2	27	114	90	.9	0.04	296	.28	629	--	--	--	--	--	359	--			
July 11-20	568	--	--	568	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	387	.40	696	178	35	25	.9	488	7.6			
July 21-31	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	594	--	--	--	--	--	--	628	--			
Aug. 1-10	658	--	--	101	17	58	--	--	162	191	.6	--	--	422	.57	750	191	28	14	--	668	--			
Aug. 11-20	315	9.4	--	233	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	555	.75	472	324	--	--	--	970	--			
Aug. 21-31	202	--	--	134	26	82	--	--	190	288	1.10	1.4	--	650	.88	409	--	--	--	--	1,080	--			
Sept. 1-10	180	12	--	143	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	724	.96	395	442	286	29	1.7	1,170	8.0			
Sept. 11-20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	788	1.07	383	--	--	--	--	1,310	--			
Sept. 21-30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	880	1.20	340	--	--	--	--	--	--			
Weighted average	557	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	310	0.42	466	--	--	--	--	483	--			

**EAGLE RIVER BASIN--Continued**

EAGLE RIVER AT GYPSUM, COLO.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$  F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	61	49	36	35	35	36	47	43	55	56	62	60
2	61	48	35	34	35	35	49	44	56	58	63	62
3	60	49	35	33	36	34	49	46	55	59	60	63
4	59	48	36	34	37	35	46	43	54	60	60	61
5	60	49	36	35	37	36	44	45	50	57	61	64
6	61	48	35	34	36	37	43	48	51	58	62	65
7	60	48	34	33	35	38	44	50	52	58	63	56
8	58	47	35	34	35	39	42	52	53	57	64	57
9	57	48	36	34	36	40	40	51	52	60	65	60
10	56	46	36	35	36	41	40	50	52	61	66	61
11	56	47	35	34	35	43	41	49	51	59	67	58
12	55	46	34	34	37	45	42	46	54	60	64	64
13	56	46	35	35	36	44	43	50	53	61	65	65
14	54	45	36	35	36	43	44	50	53	62	63	64
15	52	44	35	35	36	45	45	50	54	64	64	61
16	50	45	34	35	37	44	46	50	52	62	65	61
17	50	43	36	34	36	44	47	50	51	58	66	60
18	49	41	35	34	36	43	47	51	52	57	65	63
19	50	40	36	35	35	45	48	52	47	58	64	62
20	50	39	37	34	34	42	50	53	53	60	63	62
21	51	38	36	35	33	40	52	53	52	61	63	63
22	52	37	35	35	33	37	49	55	53	62	58	61
23	51	37	35	35	34	39	50	55	56	60	59	62
24	51	37	34	36	34	41	51	54	54	59	66	61
25	49	36	34	36	35	43	52	55	53	60	67	64
26	50	35	33	37	35	44	53	54	56	61	64	63
27	51	35	34	36	36	45	49	53	55	62	59	63
28	50	35	35	35	34	46	47	50	52	63	60	62
29	51	35	34	35	--	48	45	52	52	61	61	61
30	50	35	33	35	--	49	44	54	55	62	62	59
31	49	--	34	35	--	46	--	54	--	63	63	--
Average	54	43	35	35	35	42	46	50	53	60	63	62

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLO.

LOCATION.—At Shoshone power plant, 6 miles upstream from gaging station at Glenwood Springs, Garfield County, which is half a mile upstream from Roaring Fork. DRAINAGE AREA.—4,560 square miles (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1941 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: May 1949 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 583 ppm Dec. 26-31; minimum, 139 ppm June 11-20.

Hardness: Maximum, 264 ppm Dec. 26-31; minimum, 94 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,100 micromhos Dec. 28; minimum daily, 199 micromhos June 4.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 68° F July 28-29; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during November to February.

EXTREMES, 1941-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,030 ppm Aug. 10, 1947; minimum, 105 ppm June 1-10, 1942.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,480 ppm Aug. 10, 1947; minimum, 72 ppm June 1-20, 1942.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 2,260 micromhos Aug. 10, 1947; minimum daily, 153 micromhos May 24, 1948.

Water temperatures (1949-53): Maximum observed, 69° F July 31, 1951; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Discharge records for gaging station at Glenwood Springs for water year October 1942 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283. No appreciable inflow between Shoshone power plant and gaging station except during periods of heavy local rains.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180° C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
														Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day				
Oct. 1-10, 1952	1,338	10	57	13	63	2.6	134	98	92	1.0	--	409	.56	1,480	196	86	41	2.0	690	
Oct. 11-20	1,349	10	57	13	63	2.8	130	94	117	1.0	.05	406	.55	1,480	196	89	41	2.0	688	
Oct. 21-31	1,079	10	66	13	70	3.1	145	117	104	1.1	--	461	.64	1,370	226	107	40	2.0	676	
Nov. 1-30	1,110	11	66	15	68	2.8	142	117	98	1.4	--	461	.63	1,380	226	110	39	2.0	761	
Dec. 1-20	1,044	13	61	13	59	2.0	136	102	83	.9	--	413	.56	1,160	206	94	38	1.8	682	
Dec. 21-25	993	13	56	14	60	2.0	132	88	88	1.1	--	583	.54	1,070	197	89	40	1.9	661	
Dec. 26-31	720	14	76	18	100	2.7	156	132	150	1.1	--	583	.79	1,150	264	136	45	2.7	980	
Jan. 1-10, 1953	1,116	13	58	14	64	2.7	131	95	94	1.4	--	414	.56	1,250	202	94	40	2.0	691	
Jan. 11-20	949	13	63	16	76	2.7	140	107	111	1.4	.06	466	.63	1,150	223	108	42	2.2	774	
Jan. 21-31	1,047	13	59	15	66	2.3	132	96	99	1.0	--	422	.57	1,180	208	100	40	2.0	766	
Feb. 1-28	957	13	56	15	64	2.8	128	92	96	.9	--	412	.56	1,060	201	96	40	2.0	686	
Mar. 1-10	936	13	53	12	63	2.0	126	87	93	.9	--	392	.53	991	182	78	43	2.0	676	
Mar. 11-20	1,128	12	57	14	67	2.3	128	96	101	1.0	--	409	.56	1,260	200	94	42	2.1	715	
Mar. 21-31	1,222	12	57	14	65	3.1	133	100	94	1.0	--	409	.56	1,350	200	90	41	2.0	701	
Apr. 1-10	1,633	12	51	13	58	3.1	124	92	94	.8	--	379	.52	1,670	190	79	41	1.9	642	
Apr. 11-20	1,418	11	52	14	64	2.3	121	85	86	.8	.04	387	.53	1,480	187	88	42	2.0	659	
Apr. 21-27	1,873	13	45	12	43	1.9	117	75	61	.6	--	310	.42	1,570	162	66	36	1.5	524	
Apr. 28-30	2,770	12	40	9.2	24	1.7	113	57	57	.9	--	236	.32	1,770	138	46	27	.9	387	



## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLO.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	55	42	32	32	32	33	43	43	50	61	63	59
2	53	45	32	32	32	34	44	41	50	63	63	59
3	52	46	--	32	32	--	43	43	51	64	61	60
4	52	43	32	32	32	33	43	43	51	67	64	59
5	52	41	32	32	32	34	44	47	50	--	63	59
6	51	42	32	32	32	36	44	52	50	--	63	58
7	51	39	32	32	33	34	46	52	50	64	63	58
8	48	41	32	32	33	36	40	52	52	64	64	58
9	49	41	32	32	34	37	39	49	54	64	63	57
10	49	38	32	32	32	37	38	47	56	--	63	60
11	50	38	32	32	32	37	38	46	56	64	64	59
12	50	36	32	32	32	38	38	45	55	64	63	59
13	--	36	32	32	32	38	38	48	55	64	64	59
14	48	36	32	32	32	36	44	50	54	66	63	58
15	50	37	32	32	34	36	44	48	54	65	63	58
16	44	36	32	32	34	40	42	50	56	64	63	58
17	45	32	32	32	34	40	44	50	56	62	62	59
18	45	32	32	32	34	40	45	50	56	61	--	56
19	46	33	32	32	34	39	47	50	52	61	62	57
20	47	32	32	32	34	38	48	52	54	63	61	55
21	47	32	32	32	32	36	51	52	56	64	61	55
22	46	33	32	32	32	38	54	52	56	64	60	55
23	45	33	32	32	32	38	51	54	57	64	60	56
24	45	32	32	32	33	39	50	52	58	64	60	54
25	44	32	--	32	33	42	49	53	56	64	61	53
26	46	32	32	32	33	46	50	52	56	66	62	53
27	45	32	32	32	33	48	51	54	58	67	62	53
28	45	32	32	32	33	45	50	52	58	68	62	53
29	44	32	32	32	--	45	46	49	59	68	59	53
30	43	32	32	32	--	45	42	49	61	64	59	55
31	43	--	32	32	--	44	--	51	--	63	60	--
Aver-	48	36	32	32	33	39	45	49	55	64	62	57

COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued  
COLORADO RIVER NEAR CAMEO, COLO.

LOCATION.—At Grand Valley project diversion dam, 3.7 miles upstream from Cameo, Mesa County, 0.4 mile upstream from Plateau Creek, and 3 miles downstream from gaging station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Approximately 8,060 square miles above gaging station.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1933 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: April 1949 to September 1953.

EXTREMES: 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum daily, 1,680 micromhos Dec. 30; minimum daily, 287 micromhos June 17.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,754 ppm Dec. 31; minimum daily, 180 ppm June 11-20.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 75°F July 27; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during November to February.

EXTREMES: 1933-53.—Dissolved solids (1933-43, 1950-53): Maximum, 1,050 ppm Dec. 21-31, 1939; minimum, 143 ppm June 11-20, 1935.

Hardeness (1933-35): Maximum, 389 ppm July 21-31, 1934; minimum, 98 ppm June 21-30, 1935.

Specific conductance (1941-53): Maximum daily, 1,850 micromhos Jan. 8, 1944; minimum daily, 244 micromhos July 2, 1947.

Water temperatures (1949-53): Maximum observed, 75°F July 27, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non-carbonate calcium, magnesium, and nitrates	Percent sodium carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicar-bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo-ride (Cl)	Fuo-nitrate (F)						
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ...	2,075	10	76	24	--	126	176	159	177	3.1	--	684	9.3	288	144	49	3.2
Oct. 11-31 ...	1,894	10	84	24	--	135	186	175	191	3.5	0.10	731	.98	3,880	312	49	3.3
Nov. 1-30 ...	1,879	11	87	26	--	140	190	191	192	3.5	--	768	1.04	3,900	324	48	3.4
Dec. 1-10, 1952 ...	1,620	--	--	20	147	--	196	184	194	4.2	--	845	3.700	--	--	--	1,140
Dec. 11-20 ...	1,720	14	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	766	1.04	560	302	141	52	3.7	7.7
Dec. 21-31 ...	1,441	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	854	1.16	3,320	--	--	--	1,240	7.6
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ...	1,710	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	760	1.03	5,510	--	--	--	1,410	--
Jan. 11-20 ...	1,540	12	84	21	154	--	192	183	207	5.8	.09	782	1.06	3,260	298	141	53
Jan. 21-31 ...	1,558	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	773	1.05	3,250	--	--	--	1,280	--
Feb. 1-10 ...	1,487	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	772	1.05	3,120	--	--	--	1,380	--
Feb. 11-20 ...	1,451	12	83	22	160	187	189	209	5.4	780	1.06	3,060	297	144	54	4.0	7.8
Feb. 21-28 ...	1,386	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	783	1.06	2,870	--	--	--	1,410	--
Mar. 1-10 ...	1,532	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	741	1.01	3,050	--	--	--	1,240	--
Mar. 11-20 ...	1,646	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	730	.98	3,240	276	130	54	3.9	7.6
Mar. 21-31 ...	1,773	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	675	.92	3,230	260	122	52	3.5	7.5
Apr. 1-10 ...	2,146	11	69	18	--	167	146	166	171	2.6	--	629	.86	3,640	244	107	3.1
Apr. 11-20 ...	1,918	9	66	17	131	154	139	172	152	1.10	630	.86	3,260	236	110	3.7	
Apr. 21-24 a	2,085	7	67	18	128	--	--	--	--	206	2.8	--	--	242	117	54	3.6
Apr. 25-30 ...	2,282	9	56	17	140	--	--	--	--	440	1.4	1.40	60	3,880	190	75	2.5
May 1-10 ...	3,126	9	52	13	132	96	106	121	132	2.1	--	442	.60	3,730	184	76	7.6
May 11-20 ...	3,233	11	54	19	148	175	198	198	182	1.5	--	416	.57	3,630	176	64	4.7
May 21-26 ...	6,608	13	53	8.7	48	144	64	60	2.4	--	340	.46	6,070	168	50	3.6	
May 27-31 a ...	14,280	11	42	6.7	23	--	--	--	--	26	2.2	--	--	132	31	.9	8.3

a Not included for computation of weighted averages.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR CAMEO, COLO.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Fluoride (F)	Chloride (Cl)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, magnesium, non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Soil-dium adsorption ratio	pH	Col- or
June 1-10, 1953	14,600	9.1	37	6.2	20	1.0	34	26	1.9	--	186	0.27	7,730	118	28	27	0.3	334	7.7			
June 11-20	19,500	8.6	38	4.4	15	1.13	30	19	1.3	--	180	.24	9,480	114	21	22	.6	308	7.5			
June 21-30	10,500	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	230	.31	6,580	--	--	--	--	385	--			
July 1-10	6,031	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	305	.41	4,970	--	--	--	--	519	--			
July 11-20	4,979	10	59	9.9	59	1.37	95	79	1.3	0.04	386	.54	5,320	188	76	41	1.9	665	7.5			
July 21-31	3,528	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	482	.66	4,590	--	--	--	--	801	--			
Aug. 1-10	4,336	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	446	.61	5,280	--	--	--	--	735	--			
Aug. 11-20	2,922	11	74	14	94	1.67	133	126	1.3	--	556	.76	4,390	240	103	46	2.6	917	7.5			
Aug. 21-31	2,232	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	646	.88	3,890	--	--	--	--	1,080	--			
Sept. 1-10	1,901	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	658	.89	3,380	--	--	--	--	1,080	--			
Sept. 11-20	1,685	8.8	84	18	148	1.72	170	195	2.8	--	740	1.01	3,370	282	141	53	3.8	1,230	7.6			
Sept. 21-30	1,500	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	800	.95	3,240	--	--	--	--	1,340	--			
Weighted average	b 3,443	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	443	0.60	4,120	--	--	--	--	743	--			

b Represents 93 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM

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## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR CAMEO, COLO.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	59	47	32	32	36	37	47	--	55	64	68	66
2	59	48	32	32	34	37	49	48	55	66	68	65
3	58	47	33	33	36	37	49	48	55	64	68	66
4	58	47	--	33	38	35	48	49	55	65	68	65
5	58	47	--	33	38	36	47	49	55	68	68	64
6	57	45	--	32	38	37	47	54	55	67	69	64
7	54	43	--	33	--	39	46	56	53	69	69	65
8	54	45	33	33	38	40	44	54	55	70	71	67
9	54	44	--	33	38	42	42	53	57	70	70	64
10	54	42	33	33	36	44	42	51	59	69	69	63
11	54	41	33	34	35	46	43	52	60	69	69	65
12	53	40	33	34	36	44	43	51	59	68	70	65
13	54	41	33	35	36	44	44	51	60	70	69	65
14	53	41	33	34	34	43	44	55	58	71	69	67
15	50	41	34	34	35	44	45	55	58	71	68	67
16	48	41	34	34	36	46	46	54	59	71	66	66
17	48	39	33	33	35	45	46	55	59	70	68	67
18	50	40	34	33	35	44	46	56	61	69	67	64
19	50	39	33	34	34	44	47	54	58	68	68	65
20	49	38	33	34	33	44	47	55	57	70	67	64
21	50	38	34	34	33	41	55	57	57	69	67	64
22	--	37	34	35	33	40	57	58	59	70	66	63
23	50	35	34	36	33	42	56	57	61	70	64	62
24	49	34	33	34	32	42	54	56	62	70	66	60
25	49	33	--	34	32	46	54	56	62	71	67	59
26	48	33	33	35	33	48	53	57	60	71	67	58
27	48	33	--	35	34	49	57	58	61	75	67	58
28	48	33	32	34	36	48	55	58	60	74	67	59
29	48	32	32	34	--	50	--	55	61	73	66	57
30	48	32	32	34	--	48	49	53	64	71	66	57
31	47	--	33	34	--	47	--	52	--	69	66	--
Aver-												
age	53	40	--	34	35	43	48	54	58	69	68	63

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GUNNISON RIVER BASIN

## GUNNISON RIVER NEAR GRAND JUNCTION, COLO.

LOCATION.--At road bridge about half a mile downstream from point of diversion of Redlands power canal, and 1½ miles upstream from mouth and Grand Junction. Mesa County.

DRainAGE AREA.--8,020 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses, October 1931 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: April 1949 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1932-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,790 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 179 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 963 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 179 ppm June 11-20.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 82°F July 29, Aug. 17, 20; minimum observed, freezing point Dec. 28-29.

EXTREMES, 1931-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum 2,820 ppm Sept. 11-20, 1934; minimum 1,200 ppm Sept. 11-20, 1944.

Hardness (1931-35, 1943-53): Maximum 1,370 ppm Sept. 1-20, 1934; minimum 143 ppm June 1-10, 1933.

Specific conductance (1941-53): Maximum daily, 2,680 ppm Sept. 5, 1950; minimum daily, 280 ppm May 23, 1948.

Water temperatures (1949-53): Maximum observed, 82°F July 29, Aug. 17, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during winter months.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953.

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (Na)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Non-carbonate magnesium-neonium	Percent sodium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
												Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day					
Oct. 1-10, 1952...	1,174	17	167	69	126	5.4	209	738	18	8.0	--	1,250	1.70	3,960	700	528	28	2.1	1,670
Oct. 21-31.....	1,028	18	202	80	153	6.0	234	866	24	9.8	0.26	1,470	2.03	4,140	833	644	28	2.3	1,880
Oct. 21-31.....	1,056	18	195	80	154	6.0	234	866	21	9.8	--	1,470	2.00	4,190	816	624	28	2.3	1,870
Nov. 1-10.....	960	17	211	89	183	7.6	263	970	23	9.8	--	1,640	2.23	4,250	892	677	31	2.7	2,060
Nov. 10-20.....	1,167	19	190	80	149	5.5	260	844	20	9.9	--	1,450	1.97	4,570	803	590	29	2.3	1,860
Nov. 10-20.....	1,089	19	177	75	140	6.5	254	782	20	10	--	1,350	1.84	3,970	750	542	28	2.2	1,780
Dec. 1-10.....	1,165	22	172	75	150	7.2	250	782	22	12	--	1,370	1.86	4,310	738	532	31	2.2	1,750
Dec. 11-20.....	1,305	20	145	63	128	6.6	238	646	16	11	--	1,150	1.56	4,050	621	434	31	2.2	1,520
Dec. 21-31.....	1,037	20	160	66	140	7.1	237	691	17	11	--	1,220	1.66	3,420	646	452	32	2.4	1,600
Jan. 1-10, 1953...	1,112	20	138	61	123	7.3	220	617	20	9.9	--	1,100	1.50	3,300	596	415	31	2.2	1,470
Jan. 11-20.....	1,077	18	136	62	125	7.2	217	623	17	9.9	.14	1,100	1.50	3,200	594	416	31	2.2	1,480
Jan. 21-31.....	994	18	132	61	125	5.7	211	613	16	10	--	1,060	1.47	2,900	580	408	32	2.3	1,460
Feb. 1-10.....	963	18	129	61	121	6.2	204	611	20	7.5	--	1,070	1.46	2,780	573	406	31	2.2	1,430
Feb. 11-19.....	873	18	124	58	115	6.4	203	582	20	9.5	--	1,030	1.40	2,430	548	382	31	2.1	1,390
Feb. 20-28.....	908	19	133	62	123	5.8	214	620	18	10	--	1,100	1.50	2,700	587	412	31	2.2	1,470
Mar. 1-10.....	910	18	126	59	117	5.7	201	588	20	9.3	--	1,040	1.41	2,560	557	392	31	2.2	1,400
Mar. 11-20.....	975	16	110	49	98	6.2	185	494	17	6.5	--	868	1.21	2,340	476	324	31	2.0	1,220
Mar. 21-31.....	1,082	15	110	47	94	5.6	153	478	16	6.6	--	864	1.18	2,350	468	318	30	1.9	1,190
Apr. 1-10.....	1,234	19	108	49	105	4.1	182	489	24	6.1	--	894	1.22	2,980	471	322	32	2.1	1,230
Apr. 11-21.....	935	18	124	56	109	4.5	196	566	19	6.0	.21	899	1.36	2,520	540	380	30	2.0	1,350
Apr. 22-30.....	2,294	18	76	51	164	3.2	164	249	8.5	3.9	--	1,62	.70	3,300	296	296	27	1.3	5.6

May 1-8, 1953....	1,470	17	38	101	75	3.6	166	387	13	28	272	1.6
May 9-12.....	2,180	15	74	25	35	145	223	7.0	2.4	.62	2,670	.98
May 13-21.....	1,786	15	100	37	75	3.8	165	403	12	4.1	.99	2,860
May 23-24a.....	6,215	--	--	--	--	--	169	--	1.2	--	402	1.6
May 25-31.....	9,029	14	54	14	19	1.6	132	110	2.0	2.6	--	1,010
June 1-10.....	7,951	15	50	14	24	3.9	118	124	4.5	2.5	282	1.2
June 11-20.....	9,684	13	52	12	21	3.9	124	116	4.0	2.6	--	595
June 22-27.....	4,890	14	64	18	33	3.1	129	182	5.5	3.0	288	1.6
June 30-July 1-2, 4	2,310	14	80	27	45	142	268	7.5	3.2	--	453	1.6
July 6-10.....	1,245	13	108	38	72	5.0	162	406	10	4.0	--	721
July 11-20.....	1,471	19	134	48	91	5.9	188	543	12	3.2	.38	408
July 21-31.....	1,074	17	136	54	108	8.4	193	586	14	2.0	--	406
Aug. 1-10.....	1,731	21	149	54	105	6.3	206	603	15	4.3	--	406
Aug. 11-20.....	811	19	195	79	138	8.8	202	891	20	5.2	--	406
Aug. 21-31.....	778	17	199	79	162	7.4	208	918	23	5.0	--	406
Sept. 1-10.....	801	23	214	83	172	7.7	206	989	22	8.3	--	406
Sept. 11-20.....	762	21	218	83	171	6.7	207	1,000	22	8.2	--	406
Sept. 21-30.....	761	22	236	91	188	6.9	222	1,100	23	11	--	406
Weighed average	6,1,806	16	105	40	76	4.8	170	412	11	5.2	--	406

a Not included for computation of weighted averages.

b Represents 94 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

#### **GUNNISON RIVER BASIN--Continued**

GUNNISON RIVER NEAR GRAND JUNCTION, COLO.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	64	52	36	33	36	43	51	50	56	--	72	72
2	63	54	33	34	40	39	52	48	55	--	70	75
3	65	51	33	34	40	40	51	47	55	--	69	74
4	64	--	34	34	39	41	54	48	56	--	73	74
5	63	50	34	35	38	43	51	56	55	--	74	73
6	61	49	34	34	40	45	50	61	57	--	72	73
7	59	49	35	33	41	47	50	61	54	--	--	75
8	59	49	--	34	38	45	46	60	58	--	72	77
9	59	50	33	34	38	47	46	59	60	--	73	74
10	--	48	33	35	39	48	45	58	64	--	81	78
11	--	46	33	36	37	50	44	56	63	79	79	79
12	58	44	34	35	38	50	47	55	62	77	78	76
13	60	45	33	35	39	47	49	56	63	78	78	77
14	54	48	--	36	41	47	49	58	61	78	72	77
15	55	44	34	34	42	48	50	58	64	79	76	76
16	54	45	33	34	41	49	58	57	--	80	77	73
17	54	46	34	35	40	50	49	54	64	76	82	72
18	54	45	34	34	36	47	53	60	64	79	75	76
19	54	42	34	36	35	48	58	58	--	--	80	74
20	--	41	33	38	36	48	62	59	--	79	82	70
21	55	41	34	38	--	49	60	62	--	77	73	77
22	54	39	34	39	--	49	59	60	69	77	72	70
23	54	35	34	39	--	49	60	60	65	78	71	73
24	55	38	34	39	34	50	59	58	63	78	73	71
25	55	33	--	--	34	50	60	59	63	75	72	72
26	53	33	33	39	38	51	59	59	62	76	70	70
27	54	33	33	38	40	53	58	58	63	--	73	67
28	53	34	32	39	40	50	55	57	--	80	70	67
29	52	33	32	38	--	--	55	55	--	82	75	67
30	53	34	33	39	--	48	54	54	--	77	74	67
31	53	--	33	38	--	48	--	57	--	74	72	--
Average		57	43	34	36	38	47	53	57	--	74	73

**DOLORES RIVER BASIN**  
**DOLORES RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH**

LOCATION.—At gauging station, 9 miles upstream from mouth and 14 miles southeast of Cisco, Grand County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

Sediment records: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES.—Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 6,760 micromhos Mar. 8, 1951; minimum daily, 254 micromhos May 8, June 16, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 80°F July 19, 1951.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 17,500 ppm Apr. 7, 1952; minimum daily, 13 ppm July 15, 1951.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 150,000 tons Aug. 30, 1951; minimum daily, 4 tons on several days.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953.

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses										Dissolved solids (sum)						Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>			Col- or pH	
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magn esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor on (B)	Parts per mil- ion	Tons per acre- foot	Parts per day	Tons per day	Calcium, Non- mag- nesium	Non-carbon ate	Per cent sodium adsorp- tion ratio		
Oct. 1-8, 1952	162	9.3	0.08	110	46	372	19	153	349	570	0.2	5.8	—	1,560	2.12	682	464	338	62	7.5	7	
Oct. 10-20	127	8.5	0.08	118	56	607	28	a 143	406	980	.2	6.7	0.17	2,280	3.10	782	525	408	70	12	4,000	8.3
Oct. 21-31	122	6.8	0.08	117	56	658	30	152	408	1,040	.2	6.7	—	2,400	3.26	791	522	398	72	13	4,140	7.8
Nov. 1-10	123	7.4	0.08	114	56	675	31	153	395	1,070	.3	5.3	—	2,420	3.29	804	515	382	73	13	4,180	8.1
Nov. 11-22	116	7.8	0.07	116	60	757	19	153	351	1,170	.10	18	2,580	3.51	806	536	394	75	14	4,420	7.7	
Dec. 12-18	180	11	0.06	107	52	646	16	156	316	1,000	—	14	.14	2,240	3.65	1,080	481	345	74	13	3,780	7.4
Jan. 1-7, 1953	176	10	0.08	120	57	725	18	186	354	1,100	—	14	—	2,500	3.40	1,190	534	374	74	14	4,190	7.6
Jan. 14-15, 20-23	200	8.8	0.08	100	46	568	14	150	302	860	.10	1.0	1,070	2,71	1.070	3860	316	73	12	3,430	7.3	
Feb. 1-10	191	10	0.06	102	46	600	29	187	305	935	.2	8.0	—	2,150	2.90	1,100	444	290	73	12	3,680	8.0
Feb. 11-14	160	9.9	0.07	108	50	741	36	181	335	1,140	.2	8.1	.11	2,520	3.43	1,090	475	326	76	15	4,370	7.5
Feb. 15-18	154	11	0.07	125	65	1,110	54	189	398	1,300	.2	8.2	.13	3,660	4.98	1,5220	580	424	79	20	6,240	8.2
Feb. 20-26	140	12	0.05	122	57	900	43	188	393	1,380	.3	12	—	3,010	4.09	1,140	539	385	77	17	5,120	8.1
Mar. 1-3, 7-10	172	9.2	0.03	110	53	757	38	188	355	1,170	.3	5.8	—	2,590	3.32	1,200	492	338	75	16	4,480	8.0
Mar. 11-12, 16-19	187	9.0	0.04	121	55	736	37	186	419	1,100	.4	5.3	.15	2,570	3.50	1,300	526	376	74	14	4,370	7.9
Mar. 21-22, 25-30	200	9.2	0.04	108	47	621	32	163	354	985	.4	9.8	—	2,230	3.03	1,200	463	330	73	13	3,820	7.8
Apr. 1-10	357	8.6	0.06	82	27	247	15	149	224	370	.4	9.8	—	1,060	1.44	1,020	316	194	62	6.1	1,850	7.8
Apr. 11-15	230	11	0.07	102	43	408	21	168	316	622	.2	14	.06	1,620	2.20	1,010	432	294	66	6.6	2,740	7.4
Apr. 17, 19	288	11	0.03	70	24	163	8.9	148	167	236	.2	7.9	—	761	1.03	692	273	152	55	4.3	1,320	7.6
Apr. 18, 20-22	494	11	0.06	81	27	198	11	181	201	279	.2	7.6	—	905	1.23	1,210	313	164	57	4.9	1,550	7.6
Apr. 23	1,190	9.2	0.07	83	16	—	—	226	130	—	—	—	—	272	87	—	—	—	—	—	977	7.3
May 1, 6-10	782	0.08	0.06	60	19	94	5.9	147	119	138	.2	3.0	—	521	.71	1,100	226	107	47	2.7	990	7.8

a Includes equivalent of 7 parts per million of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub>).

## DOLORES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## DOLORES RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH								
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sum (K)	Bicar- bonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bor- on (B)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day	Percent sodium adsorp- tion ratio						
May 11-14, 1953	732	8.1	0.07	61	18	87	5.8	146	121	126	0.2	5.1	--	504	0.68	9.96	226	106	2.5	888	7.6	15	
May 16-16, 21-22	569	12	.04	68	19	131	7.4	153	133	190	.4	5.8	682	0.87	9.86	248	122	53	3.6	1,100	7.7	10	
May 19-20	627	7.8	.06	65	24	177	8.8	127	149	264	--	7.7	--	766	1.04	1,300	260	156	59	4.8	1,340	7.2	19
June 1-8, 15	1,986	9.6	.03	48	9.1	23	2.3	125	66	28	.5	2.0	.06	252	.34	1,350	156	55	24	.8	416	8.1	10
June 21-28	706	9.6	.05	57	15	87	5.3	101	130	125	.4	5.1	--	484	.66	923	204	120	47	2.6	827	7.5	10
June 29-30	356	9.6	.08	68	21	162	8.9	103	186	240	.4	9.7	--	736	1.03	727	256	172	57	4.4	1,290	7.5	11
July 1-3, 5, 6, 10, 12	281	9.3	.09	70	24	184	10	108	193	276	.5	5.8	.05	826	1.12	627	273	184	58	4.8	1,430	7.5	5
July 16-17, 25-26, 31	367	16	--	130	51	260	14	146	518	325	.5	9.4	--	1,400	1.90	1,390	534	414	51	4.9	2,130	7.7	12
Aug. 1-8	764	13	.10	144	36	129	10	182	419	148	.3	5.7	.15	985	1.36	2,050	508	358	35	2.5	1,480	7.9	15
Aug. 24	136	12	.10	145	61	504	138	537	736	--	2,080	2.80	756	613	500	64	8.8	3,340	7.6	--			
Sept. 7-15	69.8	5.0	.05	172	86	493	30	128	720	715	.6	25	--	2,310	3.14	435	782	678	57	7.7	3,650	7.3	25
Sept. 16-24	51.4	4.2	.05	185	97	674	31	130	829	970	.6	31	.22	2,890	3.93	401	860	754	62	10	4,580	7.1	20
Sept. 25-30	36.8	4.3	.06	202	106	868	29	146	906	1,260	.6	25	--	3,470	4.72	364	940	820	66	12	5,450	7.2	22

**DOLORES RIVER BASIN--Continued**

DOLORES RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## DOLORES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## DOLORES RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	180	255	118	126			125		
2.....	164			122			140		
3.....	180			122			150		
4.....	174			122			155		
5.....	169			122	41	14	160		
6.....	184			126			155		
7.....	150	114	48	126			131		
8.....	140			122			174		
9.....	140			122			192		
10.....	136			122			186		
11.....	136			126			186		
12.....	131	145	51	126			174		
13.....	126	172	59	119	42	14	164		
14.....	122	253	83	119			192		
15.....	122	459	151	122			180	36	18
16.....	126	136	46	126			186		
17.....	126	231	79	131			186		
18.....	126	165	56	119			180		
19.....	122	--	e 53	104			186		
20.....	126	119	40	96			192		
21.....	126	178	61	96			186		
22.....	119	193	62	104			164		
23.....	122	244	80	126			150		
24.....	122	161	53	145			140		
25.....	122	180	59	140			135	--	b 16
26.....	122	74	24	135			140		
27.....	122	147	48	130			145		
28.....	122	221	73	125			150		
29.....	122	--	66	120			145		
30.....	122	--	--	120			140		
31.....	126	--	--	--			135		
Total.	4,207	--	1,812	3,861	--	379	5,024	--	510
	January			February			March		
1.....	150			186			186		
2.....	170			186			198	53	28
3.....	190			186			204		
4.....	180	56	27	192			186		
5.....	170			192			196	--	b 29
6.....	180			204			164		
7.....	190			198			150		
8.....	200			192			155		
9.....	190			186			150		
10.....	180			186			164	67	30
11.....	180	--	b 29	174			180		
12.....	180			164			209		
13.....	185			150			221		
14.....	198	56	31	150	55	23	215	--	b 40
15.....	209			150			215		
16.....	170			150			198	67	35
17.....	180	--	b 22	180			186		
18.....	180			155			174		
19.....	174			150			174		
20.....	198			135			180		
21.....	221	85	46	130			192	116	56
22.....	198			125			186		
23.....	192			135			180		
24.....	186			145			174		
25.....	186			145			174		
26.....	186	--	b 44	165			174		
27.....	198			175			174		
28.....	192			180			180		
29.....	186	85	43	--	--	--	220	117	79
30.....	174	--	b 40	--	--	--	300		
31.....	180	--	--	--	--	--	450		
Total.	5,713	--	1,040	4,646	--	732	6,082	--	1,463

e Estimated.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## DOLORES RIVER BASIN

## DOLORES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## DOLORES RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	470	327	415	1,400			1,920	1,840	9,540
2.....	400	333	360	1,160			1,870	1,680	8,480
3.....	320	329	284	1,020	--	a 3,700	2,090	1,000	5,640
4.....	300	--	b270	858			2,180	650	3,830
5.....	340	--	b280	712			2,140	750	4,330
6.....	350	299	283	627	220	372	1,930	720	3,750
7.....	370	317	317	616	252	419	1,680	789	3,580
8.....	380	303	311	658	241	428	1,480	800	3,200
9.....	350	231	218	680	230	422	1,240		
10.....	291	210	a160	712	175	336	1,260		
11.....	276	190	a140	778	150	315	1,690		
12.....	255	180	a120	812	170	373	2,070		
13.....	233	160	101	734	150	297	2,490		
14.....	204	160	88	606	124	203	2,850		
15.....	227	140	86	525	125	177	2,580	2,200	15,300
16.....	221	140	a 84	485	190	249	2,230		
17.....	227	200	123	476	200	257	1,870		
18.....	348	550	517	535	220	318	1,690		
19.....	348	600	564	596	230	370	1,480		
20.....	373	597	601	658	198	352	1,320		
21.....	466	600	755	669	200	361	999		
22.....	789	1,680	3,580	680	220	404	892		
23.....	1,190	2,850	9,160	756			846		
24.....	1,390			823	--	a 1,700	745		
25.....	1,560			1,220			669		
26.....	1,560			1,760			575		
27.....	1,690		a 15,000	1,840			515	38	49
28.....	1,690			2,040			409		
29.....	1,640			2,490	--	a 14,000	364		
30.....	1,540			2,810			348		
31.....	--	--	--	2,360			--		--
Total	19,798	--	123,817	32,096	--	113,253	44,422	--	148,544
	July			August			September		
1.....	330			1,060	27,500	78,700	150	100	a 40
2.....	330			1,630	26,900	s 111,000	122	70	a 23
3.....	330			1,260	8,400	s 31,700	111		
4.....	298	21	17	745	640	1,290	104		
5.....	283			557	442	s 678	93	--	b 10
6.....	289			348	420	395	89		
7.....	255			283	421	322	83	29	6
8.....	227	--	b 10	233	408	257	80		
9.....	204			218	470	a 230	74		
10.....	209	59	33	198	470	a 250	67		
11.....	221	670	a 400	174			59		
12.....	215	603	350	169			63		
13.....	221	600	a 360	164			70	26	5
14.....	255	570	a 390	150			67		
15.....	254	3,010	sa 3,100	150			65		
16.....	270	7,370	s 5,690	136			63		
17.....	233	5,600	3,520	131	--	a 45	54		
18.....	385	9,300	sa 11,000	122			56	61	9
19.....	409	8,000	a 8,800	115			52	76	11
20.....	428	3,500	a 4,000	108			52	41	6
21.....	348	2,100	a 2,000	108			50	44	6
22.....	348	1,300	a 1,200	98			48	65	8
23.....	298	900	a 1720	194	510	a 270	46	193	24
24.....	255	400	a 280	136	150	55	42	93	11
25.....	233	204	128	126	50	a 17	40	118	13
26.....	204	161	89	104	40	a 11	40	88	10
27.....	186	140	a 70	138	240	a 89	39	84	9
28.....	180	150	a 73	177	370	a 180	38	92	9
29.....	255	300	a 210	291	330	a 260	38	237	24
30.....	390	1,560	sa 2,400	240	210	a 140	38	144	15
31.....	895	9,930	s 29,100	192	150	a 78	--	--	--
Total	9,218	--	74,045	9,753	--	226,512	1,993	--	314

Total discharge fir year (cfs-days) ..... 146,613

Total load for year (tons) ..... 692,421

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## DOLORES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## DOLORES RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

(Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water; W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube).

Date of collection	Time	Dis- charge (cfs)	Water tem- per- ature (° F)	Concen- tration of sample analyzed (ppm)	Concen- tration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis			
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.350	0.500	1.000
Apr. 22, 1958 . . .	11:30 a.m.	778	58	1,580	4,640	--	47	--	75	--	98	100	--	--	--	VPWCM
	1:45 p.m.	1,110	--	2,710	4,220	--	40	--	67	83	94	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
Apr. 23 . . . . .																SPWCM
June 8 . . . . .	10:30 a.m.	1,520	60	884	2,200	--	18	--	27	--	69	88	99	--	--	SPWCM
June 15 . . . . .	1:00 p.m.	2,360	--	2,170	3,180	--	28	--	46	--	72	86	97	--	--	SPWCM
	1:00 p.m.	2,360	--	2,170	3,190	--	23	--	45	--	72	86	97	100	100	SPN
June 15 . . . . .	1:00 p.m.	2,360	--	2,170	3,190	--	23	--	45	--	72	86	97	100	100	SPWCM
July 12 . . . . .	2:15 p.m.	215	74	476	3,400	71	87	89	91	93	99	99	99	100	100	SPWCM
July 31 . . . . .	5:15 p.m.	1,250	75	17,600	4,010	48	59	77	89	94	99	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
Aug. 2 . . . . .	1:00 p.m.	2,120	76	23,000	4,100	35	48	58	74	90	93	98	99	100	100	SPWCM



## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Percent calcium magnesium residue	So- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or
														Parts per mil- lion	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot					
Aug. 1-3, 14, 31, 1952	6,372	17	1.56	52	1.35	7.4	1.92	575	91	9.9	0.18	1,170	1.59	20,130	603	456	32	2.4	1,570		
Sept. 4, 7-8.....	2,433	16	1.62	70	1.94	6.4	2.00	707	144	9.2	--	1,460	1.99	9,590	692	528	33	3.2	1,950		
Sept. 11-19.....	2,033	14	1.75	77	2.19	7.0	2.04	799	160	9.9	--	1,640	2.23	9,000	753	586	33	3.5	2,140		
Sept. 20-30.....	1,879	14	1.66	86	2.33	7.4	2.17	856	178	14	--	1,820	2.48	8,230	842	664	37	3.5	2,330	7.8	

COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

COLORADO RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

**Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953**

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	3,380			2,610			2,390		
2.....	3,280			2,730			2,390	--	b 250
3.....	3,100	67	562	2,890			2,940		
4.....	2,960			2,890			3,380		
5.....	2,810			2,760			3,530	84	801
6.....	2,640			2,450			3,410		
7.....	2,610			2,540			3,190		
8.....	2,560			2,710			3,010	--	b 730
9.....	2,490			2,760			3,190		
10....	2,520	42	291	3,030			3,400		
11....	2,560			3,190			3,010		
12....	2,560			3,050			3,030		
13....	2,590			2,920			3,260		
14....	2,540			3,100			3,530		
15....	2,560			3,250	47	404	3,530	84	759
16....	2,640			3,340			3,550		
17....	2,740			3,430			3,170		
18....	2,830			3,490			3,280	--	b 550
19....	2,810	46	334	3,080			3,360		
20....	2,760			3,140			3,780	32	308
21....	2,890			3,230			3,680		
22....	2,690			3,260			3,430		
23....	2,560			3,340			3,260		
24....	2,640			3,510			3,080		
25....	2,570			3,400			2,700		
26....	2,620			3,010	50	379	2,550		
27....	2,690			2,710			2,400		
28....	2,620			2,500			2,300		
29....	2,540			2,490			2,150		
30....	2,390			2,320			2,250		
31....	2,440			--			2,450		
Total.	83,590	--	11,420	89,130	--	11,292	94,580	--	13,957
	January			February			March		
1.....	2,800	72	564	2,760			2,890		
2.....	3,000			2,690			2,980		
3.....	3,200			2,610			2,960		
4.....	3,100			2,570			2,780	--	b 250
5.....	3,200			2,590			2,570		
6.....	3,100	--	b 600	2,760	35	251	2,740		
7.....	3,200			2,740			2,800		
8.....	3,320			2,640			2,810		
9.....	3,410			2,610			2,960		
10....	3,530			2,590			3,010		
11....	3,510	72	666	2,570			2,760		
12....	3,340			2,470			2,990		
13....	3,170			2,570			3,550		
14....	2,920			2,710	15	106	3,320	58	470
15....	3,100			2,680			3,360		
16....	3,250	40	343	2,590			3,100		
17....	2,890			2,710			2,710		
18....	2,620			2,440			2,780		
19....	2,800			2,320			2,780		
20....	2,980			2,340			3,050		
21....	3,210			2,440			3,140		
22....	2,920	40	310	2,500			3,140		
23....	2,830			2,120			3,170		
24....	2,870			2,200			2,940		
25....	2,870			2,400			2,800		
26....	2,870			2,500			2,590		
27....	2,850	--	b 250	2,780			3,050		
28....	2,660			2,870			3,210		
29....	2,610			--			3,250		
30....	2,620			--			3,580	--	b 800
31....	2,710			--			4,350	--	b 6,000
Total.	93,460	--	12,916	71,770	--	4,848	94,120	--	16,797

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM

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## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April		May		June	
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment
	Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day	Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day	Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	4,270	--	8,000	7,480	180	3,640
2.....	3,950			6,450	287	4,650
3.....	3,580			5,760	202	3,140
4.....	3,700			5,080	160	a 2,190
5.....	3,810	311	3,170	4,390	200	2,370
6.....	3,930			3,740	218	2,200
7.....	3,660			3,740	300	3,030
8.....	3,660			3,950	320	3,410
9.....	3,850			4,870	370	4,870
10.....	3,780		112	5,850	353	5,580
11.....	3,660			6,640	370	6,630
12.....	3,600			6,130	350	5,790
13.....	3,550			5,040	250	3,400
14.....	3,190		b1,200	4,600	180	2,240
15.....	2,760	160	a1,190	4,170	150	a 1,690
16.....	2,540	110	a 754	3,890	140	a 1,470
17.....	3,010	100	813	4,150	300	a 3,380
18.....	3,070	135	1,120	5,000	1,400	a 18,900
19.....	3,120	128	1,060	5,430	2,030	29,800
20.....	3,190	330	2,840	6,240	2,400	a 40,400
21.....	3,140	1,410	12,000	6,810	2,080	38,200
22.....	2,700	1,230	9,630	7,790	1,970	41,400
23.....	3,740	1,210	a12,200	10,600	1,800	45,800
24.....	5,080	1,300	17,800	14,100	1,700	64,700
25.....	6,080	1,120	18,400	15,600	2,170	91,400
26.....	6,200	1,050	17,600	17,600	2,260	a 107,000
27.....	6,450	1,220	21,200	19,700	2,080	111,000
28.....	6,620	1,090	19,500	22,500	2,010	a 122,000
29.....	7,640	1,210	25,000	28,100	2,400	a 182,000
30.....	8,470	790	18,100	32,200	3,550	a 309,000
31.....	--	--	--	28,000	2,300	a 174,000
Total	126,200	--	214,087	305,580	--	1,435,260
					705,300	--
						1,320,800
	July		August		September	
1.....	9,630		7,320	15,200	s 323,000	3,100
2.....	9,420		9,010	26,300	s 639,000	2,920
3.....	8,780		8,720	13,300	313,000	2,780
4.....	8,300		8,670	13,200	a 309,000	2,690
5.....	7,870		7,480	3,270	66,000	2,570
6.....	7,060		6,710			2,470
7.....	6,710		5,690			2,340
8.....	6,170		5,200	--	b 40,000	2,270
9.....	5,610		4,800			2,200
10.....	4,830		4,000			2,120
11.....	4,640		3,800	--	b 21,000	1,980
12.....	4,810		3,740			2,110
13.....	6,060		3,740			2,110
14.....	6,080	--	b 12,000	3,470	1,860	17,400
15.....	5,080			3,170		
16.....	4,780		2,940			1,930
17.....	4,680	--	b 6,000	2,990	--	1,980
18.....	5,850		2,780			1,950
19.....	7,030		2,740			2,010
20.....	7,330	--	b 30,000	2,610		1,900
21.....	6,430		2,420		211	1,380
22.....	5,360		2,320			1,870
23.....	4,830	--	b 1,500	2,280		1,820
24.....	4,310		2,440			1,840
25.....	4,090		2,390	--	b 1,300	1,860
26.....	3,700		2,340			1,870
27.....	3,490	--	b 500	2,400		1,880
28.....	3,050		2,940			1,880
29.....	3,120		3,210	--	b 13,000	1,900
30.....	3,680		3,320			1,950
31.....	5,190	--	s 30,000	3,340	2,050	18,500
Total	177,970	--	198,210	128,980	--	2,011,080
					64,430	--
						32,140

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) 2,035,110

Total load for year (tons) 5,282,807

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR CISCO, UTAH--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment for water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Suspended sediment										Methods of analysis	
				Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.500	
Apr. 2, 1953	3:00 p.m.	4,090	53	659	7,220	--	69	--	93	97	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
	2:55 p.m.	3,680	54	89	562	78	80	83	88	93	95	97	98	99	SBWCM
	1:50 p.m.	4,910	--	1,180	4,300	--	42	--	66	81	89	97	100	--	SPWCM
Apr. 11, 1953															SPWCM
Apr. 24, 1953															SPN
June 16, 1953	1:30 p.m.	35,700	--	1,160	3,300	--	25	--	42	--	67	82	97	100	SPWCM
June 16, 1953	1:30 p.m.	35,700	--	1,160	3,570	--	20	--	43	67	82	97	97	100	SPN
July 31, 1953	1:00 p.m.	5,320	75	2,440	4,640	45	61	76	81	90	93	98	99	99	SPWCM
Aug. 1, 1953	7:00 p.m.	7,820	73	9,440	4,380	51	61	74	87	96	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
Aug. 2, 1953	10:00 a.m.	8,250	73	23,900	4,800	45	57	78	90	98	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
Aug. 5, 1953	12:45 p.m.	7,530	--	3,160	4,920	45	58	70	83	91	96	99	100	--	SPWCM

## GREEN RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.

**LOCATION.**--At bridge on Green River-Linwood highway, about 1 mile upstream from gaging station, which is a quarter of a mile downstream from Bitter Creek, 1 mile southeast of town of Green River, Sweetwater County, and 4 miles upstream from high-water line of proposed Flaming Gorge Reservoir.

**DRAINAGE AREA** --10,000 square miles, approximately.

**RECORDS AVAILABLE.**--Chemical analyses: May 1953 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: May 1851 to September 1953.

Sediment records: May 1951 to September 1953.

SEDIMENTS, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 738 ppm Nov. 21-30; minimum, 159 ppm June 21-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 385 ppm Nov. 21-30; minimum, 118 ppm June 21-30.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,220 micromhos Nov. 30; minimum daily, 237 micromhos June 22.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 75°F July 14, 19; 26 Aug. 1, 8; minimum observed, freezing point Dec. 25-27.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 380 ppm June 16; minimum daily, not determined.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 23,900 tons June 17; minimum daily, 9 tons on many days.

EXTRUSIONS, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: 738 ppm Nov. 21-30; minimum, 159 ppm June 21-30, 1953.

Hardness: Maximum, 386 ppm Nov. 21-30, 1952; minimum, 116 ppm June 11-20, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,220 micromhos Nov. 30, 1952; minimum daily, 237 micromhos June 22, 1953.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 75°F on several days during summer months; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 22,900 tons July 15, 1952; minimum daily, 9 tons on many days in 1953.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 32,900 tons July 15, 1952; minimum daily, 9 tons on many days in 1953.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance or daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)										Col- or		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per million	Parts per million	Tons per day	Tons per day	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium	Percent non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	711	9.0	0.05	58	24	54	2.0	176	192	8.0	0.3	0.2	--	450	0.61	864	243	99	32	1.5	672	7.6	4
Oct. 11-20, .....	648	9.2	.05	62	26	62	2.0	188	217	8.6	.3	.2	.11	491	.67	859	262	108	34	1.7	729	7.8	4
Oct. 21-30, .....	668	11	.05	66	27	66	2.0	189	222	8.9	.3	.2	--	513	.70	925	276	112	33	1.6	751	7.8	3
Nov. 1-10, .....	657	11	.05	74	31	74	2.0	212	274	11	.2	.6	--	605	.82	927	312	138	34	1.8	866	8.0	3
Nov. 11-20, .....	471	13	.05	73	28	64	2.0	233	225	9.5	.3	.6	.13	594	.73	879	297	114	32	1.6	781	7.8	5
Nov. 21-30 .....	293	12	.04	90	39	69	2.2	265	329	13	.2	.6	--	738	1.00	584	365	168	33	2.0	1,030	7.9	4
Dec. 1-10, .....	392	12	.03	88	38	68	2.2	274	275	11	.2	.4	--	653	.88	691	376	151	28	1.5	940	7.9	4
Dec. 11-20, .....	493	11	.03	76	29	60	2.2	238	223	8.2	.6	.05	.05	536	.73	713	308	122	30	1.5	780	7.9	5
Dec. 21-31 .....	419	10	.03	73	29	58	2.1	220	227	7.9	.2	.4	--	531	.72	601	301	120	29	1.5	774	7.9	5
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ..	446	12	.02	79	29	60	2.0	236	236	9.5	.2	.4	--	552	.75	665	316	131	29	1.5	815	7.5	10
Jan. 11-31 .....	554	11	.02	70	27	54	1.8	202	217	8.5	.1	.3	.09	501	.68	749	286	120	30	1.4	746	7.9	5
Feb. 1-28 .....	589	10	.02	74	28	57	1.8	208	229	8.0	.0	.3	.12	524	.71	833	300	129	29	1.4	774	7.8	10
Mar. 1-10 .....	574	10	.04	66	29	58	1.3	208	224	8.2	.2	.4	--	513	.70	795	284	113	31	1.5	763	8.0	5
Mar. 11-20 .....	656	9.7	.04	64	25	62	1.5	195	221	9.0	.3	.13	.06	506	.69	886	262	102	34	1.7	749	8.2	5
Mar. 21-31 .....	899	10	.05	65	25	58	1.5	196	213	9.5	.2	.3	--	494	.67	1,200	265	104	32	1.5	731	8.0	5

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180° F)												Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH								
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magni- esium (Mg)	Pota- sium (K)	Sodium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Percent as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	So- dium so- adsorp- tion ratio				
Apr. 1-10, 1953	1,246	10	.06	64	26	50	2.4	196	185	8.8	0.3	0.4	--	448	1,510	262	102	1.3	672	7.8	10		
Apr. 11-20	888	8.7	.06	64	26	48	2.2	215	174	8.0	.3	.07	446	6.1	1,070	266	90	28	1.3	676	7.9	10	
Apr. 21-30	1,735	9.9	.07	62	23	39	2.4	208	141	6.8	.4	.6	--	394	.54	1,050	249	78	25	1.1	606	7.8	10
May 1-10	1,443	10	.04	60	22	36	2.6	212	127	7.0	.2	.7	--	378	.51	1,470	66	24	1.0	534	7.6	10	
May 11-20	1,001	9.2	.03	63	22	46	2.0	207	156	8.5	.2	.8	--	420	.57	1,140	248	78	29	1.3	637	7.8	10
May 21-31	1,190	9.9	.05	64	24	48	2.0	211	165	8.5	.3	.8	--	434	.59	1,380	258	85	29	1.3	657	7.8	10
June 1-10	2,266	10	.02	56	20	33	2.2	194	118	6.0	.2	.9	--	346	.47	2,730	222	62	24	1.0	537	7.8	18
June 11-14	4,375	13	--	47	17	22	2.2	181	76	4.0	--	1.0	--	271	.37	3,200	188	39	20	.7	439	7.8	18
June 15-20	10,220	11	.05	36	11	11	1.9	134	41	2.8	.7	.7	--	158	.26	5,220	135	25	15	.4	299	7.8	18
June 21-30	8,396	8.5	.02	31	9.7	10	1.4	128	34	1.9	.3	.6	--	22	.3	5,600	118	12	15	.4	268	7.5	20
July 1-10	4,120	8.6	.01	34	11	14	1.4	131	46	2.9	.3	.6	--	159	.25	2,200	130	22	19	.5	305	7.6	10
July 11-20	3,602	9.9	.02	38	13	21	1.4	151	59	4.2	.3	.5	.08	230	.31	2,240	148	25	23	.7	306	7.9	10
July 21-31	2,471	8.2	.03	39	14	25	1.5	154	74	4.5	.3	.3	--	241	.33	1,410	155	29	26	.9	391	8.1	15
Aug. 1-10	2,404	11	.04	42	16	30	1.3	166	84	5.5	.3	.6	--	276	.38	1,790	171	35	27	1.0	438	7.9	8
Aug. 11-20	1,586	8.4	.04	41	15	28	1.3	152	88	5.5	.3	.4	.07	266	.36	1,140	164	40	27	1.0	426	7.7	9
Aug. 21-31	1,145	7.4	.04	45	18	36	1.4	156	121	6.0	.1	.4	--	318	.43	983	186	58	29	1.1	500	7.7	5
Sept. 1-10	804	7.7	.04	49	20	44	1.5	156	152	7.0	.2	.4	--	364	.50	790	204	76	31	1.3	555	7.8	6
Sept. 11-20	631	8.1	.05	53	23	54	1.9	165	189	8.2	.2	.6	.08	431	.59	1,734	226	92	34	1.6	645	7.9	6
Sept. 21-30	535	8.4	--	57	25	60	1.5	180	211	9.0	.3	.5	--	472	.64	682	245	98	35	1.7	708	7.9	5
Weighted average	1,501	9.7	0.03	48	18	31	1.7	167	110	5.4	0.3	0.6	--	313	0.43	1,270	194	57	26	1.0	433	--	--

a Sum of determined constituents.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN

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## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	53	45	33	33	34	34	43	48	49	63	75	62
2	60	36	33	33	34	34	42	44	57	63	67	63
3	--	38	33	33	34	34	41	43	57	68	68	63
4	--	39	33	33	34	35	44	48	56	63	69	63
5	58	45	33	34	34	35	39	52	59	70	70	63
6	58	37	33	35	35	35	44	55	59	70	73	64
7	46	39	33	33	35	35	45	55	55	72	74	63
8	45	35	33	34	34	35	--	57	--	72	75	66
9	47	34	--	35	35	35	42	59	56	72	68	68
10	48	37	33	35	33	35	38	45	60	72	70	69
11	48	35	33	36	33	35	39	45	55	70	70	70
12	54	35	33	33	34	35	40	45	65	70	73	69
13	55	35	33	35	33	--	35	50	67	74	72	--
14	46	35	34	33	--	35	36	53	66	75	71	69
15	42	34	34	33	33	35	45	50	70	74	69	65
16	42	34	--	33	33	35	48	52	68	71	71	65
17	43	33	34	34	34	35	40	57	68	73	72	65
18	46	35	33	34	33	35	47	57	67	74	72	65
19	45	33	33	34	33	35	48	55	66	75	68	62
20	--	33	35	34	33	35	49	54	67	67	72	55
21	--	33	35	33	33	34	57	54	65	64	65	62
22	--	34	34	33	33	37	59	52	65	70	68	72
23	--	33	33	34	33	39	58	53	65	65	71	60
24	49	34	33	35	33	45	56	55	65	71	70	62
25	48	33	32	35	33	45	56	57	63	74	70	59
26	47	33	32	34	34	42	57	52	64	75	69	60
27	47	33	32	34	34	45	55	63	64	70	68	59
28	46	33	33	34	34	46	56	61	62	70	67	55
29	46	34	33	35	--	43	53	62	67	73	67	59
30	46	33	33	34	--	45	52	55	66	73	67	58
31	45	--	34	34	--	41	--	56	--	74	67	--
Average	48	35	33	34	34	37	47	53	63	71	70	63

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	760		8	16	688		350		
2.....	736				700		370		
3.....	712		13	25	700		370		
4.....	712				676		370		
5.....	712				652		390		
6.....	712		14	27	664		400		
7.....	700				688		420		
8.....	700		10	19	664		410		
9.....	688				620		420	--	e 20
10....	676				522		420		
11....	664				500		430	15	20
12....	664		8	14	540		440		
13....	640				540		460		
14....	630				570	16	470		
15....	630				580		490		
16....	620				580		510		
17....	630		6	10	420	41	520		
18....	652				330	39	540		
19....	664				330	--	540	14	19
20....	688				320	--	530		
21....	688		--	e 13	320	--	e 20		
22....	688				320	--	e 18		
23....	688				310	--	e 16		
24....	676		5	9	300		430		
25....	676				284		410		
26....	664				288		390		
27....	664				256		380		
28....	664		--	e 9	260		380		
29....	652				280		380		
30....	652				310		390		
31....	640				--	--	410		
Total.	20,942	--	450	14,212	--	789	13,460	--	554
	January			February			March		
1.....	420			600			590		
2.....	420			620			570		
3.....	430			630			550		
4.....	420			630			540		
5.....	410		29	34	630		540		
6.....	480			620			540		
7.....	440			620			550		
8.....	460			610			580		
9.....	480			590			620		
10....	500		28	38	530		660		
11....	520			540			690		
12....	530			550			700		
13....	530			560			690		
14....	520			580			700		
15....	490		15	21	590		640		
16....	480			600			660		
17....	500			590			640		
18....	530			580			590		
19....	540			570			620		
20....	550			560			630		
21....	560			580			610		
22....	570			570			610		
23....	580			580			650		
24....	590			590			700		
25....	600		6	9	600		806		
26....	600				600		806		
27....	600				600		918		
28....	600				600		1,030		
29....	590			--	--	--	1,140		
30....	580			--	--	--	1,280		
31....	580			--	--	--	1,340		
Total.	16,100	--	617	16,500	--	516	22,190	--	1,760

e Estimated

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April		May		June				
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	1,370			2,030			2,110		
2.....	1,340			1,800			2,000		
3.....	1,290			1,530			2,150		
4.....	1,260			1,310			2,530		
5.....	1,280			1,200			2,710		
6.....	1,240	46	155	1,150	39	152	2,870	96	758
7.....	1,230			1,180			3,660		
8.....	1,210			1,290			3,790		
9.....	1,140			1,480			3,760		
10.....	1,100			1,460			3,680		
11.....	1,000			1,390			3,300	170	b1,510
12.....	918			1,290			3,500		
13.....	878			1,100			4,660		
14.....	854			974			6,040		
15.....	830			890			7,320		
16.....	818	15	36	854	16	43	8,780	880	b20,800
17.....	806			866			10,300		
18.....	854			842			11,400		
19.....	960			654			11,800		
20.....	960			946			11,700		
21.....	974			1,000			11,700	320	10,100
22.....	1,060			1,140			11,700		
23.....	1,230			1,210			11,000		
24.....	1,660			1,230			9,510		
25.....	2,130			1,210			8,170	201	4,430
26.....	2,110	46	153	1,240	12	39	7,618		
27.....	1,940			1,200			7,160		
28.....	2,000			1,080			6,440		
29.....	2,180			1,020			5,650		
30.....	2,070			1,120			5,020		
31.....	--			1,640			--		
Total	38,692	--	6,854	37,526	--	2,379	192,020	--	175,550
	July		August		September				
1.....	4,580	101	1,210	2,150	40	232	890	7	15
2.....	4,390			2,460	357	2,370	878		
3.....	4,440			2,530	280	1,910	854		
4.....	4,680			2,900	500	3,930	818		
5.....	4,740			2,760	258	1,920	806		
6.....	4,660			2,550			806	9	15
7.....	4,440			2,400			782		
8.....	4,200			2,220			750		
9.....	4,050			2,070			740		
10.....	4,020			2,000			720		
11.....	4,050	80	778	1,900	32	171	720	7	15
12.....	4,020			1,780			710		
13.....	3,840			1,680			670		
14.....	3,660			1,620			643		
15.....	3,480			1,550			625		
16.....	3,480			1,510	23	86	607	9	15
17.....	3,810			1,480			598		
18.....	3,420			1,480			589		
19.....	3,230			1,440			573		
20.....	3,030			1,420			573		
21.....	2,780			1,390			573	8	12
22.....	2,620			1,360			573		
23.....	2,460			1,310			552		
24.....	2,260			1,230			545		
25.....	2,110			1,180			531		
26.....	1,980	78	457	1,140	12	33	517	8	12
27.....	1,900			1,080			517		
28.....	1,860			1,040			517		
29.....	1,900			1,000			517		
30.....	2,030			946			504		
31.....	1,980			918			--		
Total	104,100	--	24,907	52,494	--	13,130	19,698	--	420

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 547,934

Total load for year (tons) ..... 227,926

b Computed from concentration graph based on one size sample and a composite concentration.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment for water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; M, chemically dispersed)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	
Oct. 9, 1952	6:00 a.m.	a 688	47	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	45	54	95
Mar. 20, 1953	12:20 p.m.	a 630	34	11	--	--	--	--	--	75	83	100	-- S
Apr. 5	3:15 p.m.	a 1,280	46	39	--	--	--	--	--	81	86	94	100 S
Apr. 21	5:00 p.m.	1,020	57	18	--	--	--	--	--	83	90	96	99 S
May 12	4:45 a.m.	a 1,290	45	19	--	--	--	--	--	--	81	91	98
May 25	3:45 p.m.	a 1,210	57	10	--	--	--	--	--	92	94	96	100 S
June 8	1:30 p.m.	3,710	56	97	--	--	--	--	--	70	76	80	85 S
June 17	5:00 p.m.	10,500	68	88	5,100	5	9	14	31	55	74	95	SPN
June 25	6:45 p.m.	7,870	63	212	1,920	10	15	16	24	33	44	61	SPWCM
July 7	5:30 p.m.	4,420	72	66	614	5	8	12	16	24	44	59	SPWCM
July 19	3:45 p.m.	3,200	75	149	2,900	51	63	79	88	88	97	99	SPWCM
July 30	3:45 p.m.	2,000	73	39	446	21	31	37	41	51	64	75	SPWCM
Aug. 10	4:45 p.m.	2,000	70	28	456	17	26	48	64	81	83	96	SPN
Aug. 23	4:15 p.m.	a 1,310	71	20	--	--	--	--	--	80	85	92	-- S
Sept. 1	5:00 p.m.	a 590	65	11	--	--	--	--	--	64	72	80	92 -- S
Sept. 20	10:30 a.m.	a 573	55	10	--	--	--	--	--	87	97	99	-- S

a Mean daily discharge.

## BLACKS FORK NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.

LOCATION.—At county highway bridge about 75 yards downstream from gaging station, which is 200 feet downstream from Dry Creek, 12.5 miles southwest of Green River, Sweetwater County, and 14.3 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—3,670 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,660 ppm Dec. 1-10; minimum, 307 ppm Jan. 21-22, 26.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,160 ppm Dec. 1-10; minimum, 48 ppm Jan. 21-22, 26.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 1,160 ppm Dec. 1-10; minimum, 419 micromhos Jan. 21.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 71°F July 14; minimum observed, freezing point on many days from November to March.

EXTREMES 1951-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,660 ppm Dec. 1-10, 1952; minimum, 298 ppm Jan. 21-22, 26, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,160 ppm Dec. 1-10, 1952; minimum, 48 ppm Jan. 21-22, 26, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 3,370 micromhos Dec. 4, 10, 1952; minimum daily, 414 micromhos Apr. 4, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 79°F July 31, 1952; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1233.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Parts per milli- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per day	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per day	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per day	Percent so- dium	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Car- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Pota- sium (K)	Magni- ne- sium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Boro- nate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Fluo- ride (F)													
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	31.6	4.8	0.06	140	84	281	5.6	203	912	122	0.5	0.6	36	1,740	148	685	529	47	4.6	2,310	7.8	10		
Oct. 11-20 .....	32.5	4.5	.15	147	84	261	5.1	211	928	127	.5	.4	36	1,770	241	712	540	46	4.6	2,310	7.8	10		
Oct. 21-31 .....	50.8	4.9	.06	135	78	244	5.2	231	785	128	.5	.5	--	1,590	216	658	468	46	4.3	2,100	7.7	8		
Nov. 1-10 .....	51.5	6.5	.07	133	74	244	5.2	256	714	135	.6	.4	30	1,500	204	656	428	45	4.2	2,020	7.6	8		
Nov. 11-20 .....	43.7	7.1	.06	146	76	254	5.2	286	737	147	.4	.4	30	1,580	215	166	677	44	4.5	2,140	7.8	10		
Nov. 21-30 .....	39.5	12	.07	174	100	303	7.5	369	896	197	.5	1.7	--	1,890	271	212	845	542	44	4.5	2,570	8.0	10	
Dec. 1-10 .....	32.9	15	.08	247	133	406	9.7	502	1,210	245	.4	2.1	--	2,660	362	236	1,160	752	43	5.2	2,280	7.9	15	
Dec. 11-20 .....	52.5	12	.08	203	94	258	6.0	416	885	143	.4	1.7	.36	1,900	258	269	983	552	38	3.8	2,410	7.7	15	
Dec. 21-31 .....	48.3	16	.05	179	81	220	5.7	388	713	130	.4	1.7	.36	1,610	219	214	780	462	38	3.4	2,120	7.8	10	
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ..	54.7	15	.05	155	68	180	4.8	387	579	108	.3	1.5	--	1,350	184	189	666	366	37	3.0	1,800	7.9	10	
Jan. 12-17 .....	63.3	12	.08	128	51	144	3.5	310	458	90	.4	.8	.51	1,060	144	181	529	275	37	2.7	1,510	7.5	10	
Jan. 19-20 .....	82.5	15	--	29	7.4	147	3.6	38	36	--	2.4	--	--	420	.71	116	103	0	76	6.3	639	7.8	--	
Jan. 21-22 .....	96.7	13	.34	14	3.3	83	1.7	190	53	.6	.5	.6	--	307	.32	80.2	48	0	78	5.2	438	7.5	50	
Jan. 23-24, 28-31 .....	110	11	.05	89	39	150	3.1	258	384	.8	.3	.8	--	885	1.20	263	382	171	46	3.3	1,320	7.6	15	
Jan. 27b .....	115	13	--	--	--	--	--	222	193	.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	170	0	--	--	884	7.6	--	
Feb. 1-10 .....	116	11	.04	81	34	121	3.3	242	293	.72	.3	.5	.51	738	1.00	231	342	144	43	2.9	1,130	7.5	15	
Feb. 11-28 .....	118	12	.04	111	49	154	4.1	306	409	.98	.4	.5	.51	1,010	1.37	322	478	228	41	3.1	1,450	7.7	15	

a Sum of determined constituents.  
b Not included for computation of weighted averages.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## BLACKS FORK NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Color or pH								
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Fluoride (F)	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Non-carbonate hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent sodium adsorption ratio					
Mar. 1-10, 1953;	227	12	0.05	.79	31	110	3.9	246	265	62	0.4	1.1	--	69.1	0.94	424	324	42	2.7	1,060	7.9	12	
Mar. 11-12, 16-20	434	10	.05	.66	28	107	3.0	218	241	62	.5	.9	0.13	626	.85	734	201	101	4.5	2.8	1,991	8.0	10
Mar. 13-14, 21-24	588	14	.05	.33	10	82	2.5	184	117	26	.4	1.1	--	370	.50	587	124	0	59	3.2	601	7.9	15
Mar. 21, 23-24,	335	12	.04	.72	32	120	4.2	238	270	73	.4	.8	--	697	.95	630	311	116	45	3.0	1,090	8.2	15
30-31	382	21	.04	.41	11	106	3.4	206	152	39	.5	.8	--	467	.64	482	148	0	60	3.8	749	7.9	8
Mar. 25-28	382	11	.05	.82	37	100	4.4	260	260	68	.5	.5	--	698	.95	558	356	114	38	2.3	1,070	8.1	8
Apr. 1-10, 1953;	287	11	.05	.82	37	100	4.4	260	260	68	.5	.5	--	683	.93	459	296	98	46	3.0	1,060	8.3	7
Apr. 11-13, 16,	249	12	.05	.71	29	118	4.4	242	263	66	.4	.5	.17	683	.93	459	296	--	--	7	764	8.2	--
18, 20, 21, 25	258	20	--	--	--	13	6.1	208	158	41	--	1.2	--	764	1.04	811	350	127	45	3.1	1,170	6.0	--
Apr. 17-18, 21-25	393	19	.06	.81	36	133	6.1	272	281	80	.4	1.5	--	416	.57	794	253	68	29	1.3	663	7.9	--
Apr. 21-25, 27-30	707	14	.06	.62	24	49	3.5	232	120	30	.1	1.7	--	495	.67	572	278	89	33	1.6	771	8.0	10
Apr. 27-30, 31-32	428	11	.04	.70	25	63	1.8	230	161	38	.1	1.2	--	583	.79	474	318	116	34	1.8	887	8.1	10
May 1-10, 1953;	301	10	.04	.80	29	75	3.0	248	207	48	.2	1.0	.16	627	.85	816	331	121	36	2.1	946	8.1	10
May 11-20, 21-31	482	12	.06	.80	32	88	2.8	256	224	49	.3	1.4	--	683	.93	459	296	--	--	7	764	8.2	--
June 1-15	15	.10	.66	23	72	3.4	236	160	36	.5	1.2	--	498	.68	1,630	259	66	37	2.0	735	7.7	35	
June 16-20	2,368	14	.08	.52	15	46	2.5	182	104	19	.4	1.1	.11	382	.52	2,440	191	42	34	1.4	535	8.8	47
June 21-25	1,182	12	.07	.53	16	48	2.6	170	136	19	.4	1.0	--	385	.52	1,210	198	58	34	1.5	598	7.8	32
June 26-30	434	11	.15	.75	24	68	3.3	200	228	28	.5	.8	--	536	.73	657	286	130	34	1.8	795	7.9	35
July 1-10, 1953;	163	13	.10	.86	39	134	4.9	232	396	51	.4	.3	--	850	1.16	374	375	176	43	3.0	1,240	7.8	10
July 11-20	81.2	.10	.56	77	260	6.9	232	939	97	.5	.42	1.740	2.37	381	710	520	44	4.2	2,230	7.7	7		
July 21-25	57.2	13	.10	.56	80	288	6.9	232	991	108	.6	.3	--	1,320	2.48	281	723	533	46	4.6	2,340	7.8	13
July 30	73.0	11	--	86	27	109	142	379	35	--	1.9	--	2,719	.98	142	326	209	42	2.6	1,050	7.5	--	
Aug. 1, 4-8, 10 ..	96.7	12	.10	129	60	254	6.0	210	819	80	.5	.3	--	1,520	2.07	397	568	396	49	4.6	2,010	7.9	13
Aug. 9-13, 16 ..	145	15	.15	.74	27	111	5.5	236	862	99	.5	1.0	--	4,681	.93	287	296	160	45	2.8	1,020	7.5	--
Aug. 11-20 ..	36.7	12	.05	.98	66	327	5.5	238	862	99	.5	1.0	.44	1,580	2.15	157	516	313	58	6.3	2,190	7.6	18
Aug. 12-16 ..	28.5	9.3	.05	.88	67	389	6.0	246	967	103	.5	.8	--	1,760	2.39	135	294	63	7.6	2,410	7.7	10	
Sept. 1-10 ..	4.8	7.2	.05	.85	55	298	4.3	218	727	93	.7	--	1,380	1.88	179	438	280	59	6.2	1,950	7.6	10	
Sept. 11-20 ..	1.9	5.9	.05	.91	62	338	6.0	238	836	119	.4	.8	--	1,590	2.16	86	482	287	60	6.7	2,220	7.7	10
Sept. 21-30 ..	.9	5.6	.04	.98	68	384	7.0	270	887	148	.5	.7	--	1,760	2.39	428	303	61	7.3	2,430	7.8	7	
Weighted average	c 239	13	0.07	.75	30	96	3.5	230	247	49	0.4	1.1	--	644	0.88	416	310	122	40	2.4	946	--	--

a Sum of determined constituents.

b Not included for computation of weighted averages.

c Represents 64 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## BLACKS FORK NEAR GREEN RIVER, WYO.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	54	40	32	--	--	--	38	40	55	63	65	56
2	54	--	31	32	33	33	38	40	54	64	--	56
3	53	36	32	32	33	32	38	--	53	65	63	51
4	51	32	32	--	33	33	38	47	54	--	64	51
5	--	35	32	33	32	32	--	50	55	--	64	52
6	46	37	32	32	33	33	35	52	53	60	65	--
7	47	32	--	32	33	33	35	52	--	60	66	--
8	57	32	--	32	--	--	35	45	55	65	62	55
9	51	--	32	32	--	33	34	47	57	68	--	54
10	49	32	32	32	33	33	36	--	59	67	64	55
11	47	--	32	--	32	33	34	44	63	68	61	55
12	--	32	32	33	32	33	--	42	65	--	64	57
13	47	34	32	32	32	33	35	43	64	70	64	--
14	41	32	--	33	32	33	32	49	--	71	65	58
15	40	32	32	32	--	--	33	49	60	70	64	59
16	41	--	32	32	32	33	38	51	63	69	--	57
17	43	33	32	32	33	33	38	--	63	60	63	54
18	43	32	32	--	32	33	40	49	63	68	63	52
19	--	32	32	34	32	32	--	52	60	--	64	52
20	44	33	32	33	--	32	49	53	61	66	65	--
21	44	--	--	32	32	32	45	53	--	63	65	49
22	44	32	32	32	--	--	50	49	61	65	60	55
23	42	--	32	33	--	32	52	49	63	66	--	51
24	43	31	32	32	32	32	47	--	60	65	64	50
25	42	32	--	--	32	34	50	49	57	66	64	48
26	--	32	32	33	33	35	--	49	60	--	63	47
27	41	--	32	32	33	35	51	50	58	65	63	--
28	41	32	--	33	33	38	49	57	--	67	63	48
29	43	32	32	33	--	--	40	52	63	67	62	50
30	42	--	32	--	--	38	45	--	64	67	61	50
31	42	--	33	32	--	37	--	--	--	67	--	--
Average	46	--	--	32	--	33	41	49	59	66	64	53

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## HENRY'S FORK AT LINWOOD, UTAH

LOCATION.—About 75 yards upstream from gaging station, which is in Sweetwater County, Wyoming, 300 feet north of Wyoming-Utah State line at Linwood, Daggett County, Utah.

DRAINAGE AREA.—551 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,000 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 352 ppm June 11-13, 15-20.

Harness: Maximum, 1,160 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 227 ppm June 11-13, 15-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily 2,400 micromhos Sept. 30; minimum daily, 458 micromhos June 19.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 65°F July 13, 26° minimum observed, freezing point on many days from November to February.

EXTREMES 1951-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,000 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 312 ppm June 1-6, 9-10, 1952.

Harness: Maximum, 1,160 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 208 ppm June 1-6, 9-10, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily 2,400 micromhos Sept. 30; minimum daily, 395 micromhos May 15, June 2, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 65°F July 28, 1951; July 13, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Chemical analyses										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)				Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Calcium, non-carbonate	Percent sodium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
Oct. 1-10, 1952	34.9	18	0.06	139	75	76	8.5	250	541	38	0.4	1.3	--	1,060	1.44	666	450	20	7.8
Oct. 11-31	49.8	19	0.06	147	79	77	9.3	274	566	39	.4	1.2	0.39	1,120	1.52	692	468	19	1.3
Nov. 1-10	47.6	20	0.06	168	88	79	9.2	306	621	42	.4	1.2	0.35	1,220	1.66	781	530	18	1.2
Dec. 1-10	42.7	21	0.06	163	86	79	6.8	308	588	44	.3	1.6	--	1,210	1.65	760	508	18	1.2
Dec. 11-20	51.0	19	0.06	140	75	65	7.3	216	504	38	.4	1.6	0.26	1,040	1.41	666	440	17	1.2
Dec. 11-20	51.2	19	0.06	140	77	65	7.3	216	504	38	.4	1.6	--	1,090	1.44	698	462	17	1.1
Dec. 21-31	46.3	19	0.07	148	80	68	7.3	289	528	40	.3	1.6	--	1,090	1.48	133	111	1,400	7.8
Jan. 1-10, 1953	51.9	17	0.08	142	74	65	6.8	277	500	37	.4	1.4	--	1,040	1.41	669	432	17	1.1
Jan. 11-20	54.1	17	0.08	134	74	65	7.3	277	479	36	.4	1.4	0.23	987	1.36	639	412	18	1.1
Jan. 21-31	58.4	20	0.05	138	74	68	8.0	278	487	38	.2	1.6	--	1,010	1.37	649	421	18	1.2
Feb. 1-10	68.6	19	0.05	134	66	66	7.9	267	465	37	.3	1.6	--	982	1.31	618	399	19	1.2
Feb. 11-28	59.7	19	0.03	143	76	73	7.9	287	509	39	.2	1.6	0.21	1,080	1.44	670	434	19	1.2
Mar. 1-10	68.3	19	0.04	124	73	9.2	9.6	256	454	34	.2	1.6	0.24	936	1.27	173	572	21	1.3
Mar. 11-20	92.8	18	0.04	116	64	62	8.6	258	413	34	.2	1.6	--	874	1.19	173	562	341	19
Mar. 21-31	65.8	19	0.17	126	72	70	7.3	284	461	37	.3	1.5	--	972	1.32	173	610	378	20
Apr. 1-10	67.1	21	0.07	129	75	80	8.2	284	493	40	.2	1.5	0.23	1,020	1.39	630	398	21	1.4
Apr. 11-20	97.9	17	0.11	90	43	44	5.7	244	253	22	.4	1.5	--	617	0.84	163	402	20	1.2
Apr. 11-20	61.0	16	0.13	107	56	56	5.6	252	357	28	.3	1.5	--	779	1.06	128	498	291	19
May 11-20	61.5	18	0.06	112	55	55	7.5	256	384	32	.4	1.1	0.15	894	1.13	138	526	314	19
May 21-29	57.6	17	0.06	106	64	50	6.9	242	346	28	.4	1.9	--	765	1.04	119	486	288	18
May 30-31, June 1-10	138	18	0.09	82	37	33	6.9	196	231	18	.5	.8	--	544	.74	203	356	196	16

June 11-13-15-20, 1953	856	19	.07	63	17	20	5.9	179	110	8.8	.4	1.3	.11	352	.48	814	227	80	16	.6	516	7.8	30	
June 14 <sup>a</sup> .....	2,000	--	--	--	--	--	--	184	199	.16	--	--	--	--	--	--	288	137	--	--	--	718	--	--
June 21-26.....	260	18	.03	68	24	4.6	185	145	11	.4	1.0	--	410	.56	288	288	116	.6	594	7.7	25			
June 27-30.....	88.5	22	.06	93	39	44	6.8	223	266	.19	.4	.8	--	634	.86	151	392	210	19	1.0	874	7.8	20	
July 1-5.....	32.0	24	.11	126	57	70	8.3	260	428	31	.4	.8	--	926	1.26	80	549	336	21	1.3	1,210	8.0	18	
July 6-10.....	7.92	29	.04	188	91	112	10	326	714	47	.4	.9	--	1,430	1.94	31	843	576	22	1.7	1,760	8.0	22	
July 11-20.....	28.1	28	.06	170	80	100	10	333	617	43	.4	.6	.43	1,280	1.75	101	753	480	22	1.6	1,600	8.1	25	
July 21-31.....	19.5	26	.12	203	103	122	10	340	813	92	.5	.4	--	1,890	2.16	84	930	652	22	1.7	1,930	7.9	20	
Weighted average	b 74.7	19	0.07	107	51	51	7.2	237	342	26	0.4	0.9	--	755	1.03	152	476	282	19	1.0	1,010	--	--	

a Not included for computation of weighted averages.

b Represents 93 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## HENRYS FORK AT LINWOOD, UTAH--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	49	41	34	33	33	34	38	42	53	60	63	54
2	48	39	33	32	33	33	36	39	53	60	62	57
3	48	32	33	32	34	33	36	40	50	59	59	50
4	48	32	33	32	34	34	41	43	50	59	58	51
5	48	33	32	33	33	35	38	44	54	61	59	51
6	46	33	33	--	33	34	39	46	49	60	59	54
7	44	32	33	33	32	34	38	48	54	59	60	54
8	45	32	32	33	35	34	34	48	52	60	61	54
9	44	32	32	32	33	34	34	48	51	60	60	53
10	46	32	34	32	33	33	33	40	55	64	58	51
11	48	32	33	33	33	34	34	42	57	61	55	52
12	48	33	34	33	34	33	36	42	--	63	56	54
13	45	32	33	33	33	33	34	42	61	65	54	53
14	43	34	33	34	33	33	39	45	59	64	59	54
15	39	35	32	34	--	33	36	46	58	64	59	55
16	41	32	33	32	33	34	41	50	58	62	59	52
17	42	33	32	32	33	34	44	50	60	62	58	53
18	42	--	33	34	34	34	38	51	59	62	58	49
19	43	32	33	35	33	35	38	50	59	60	55	51
20	42	32	33	34	33	37	42	48	56	60	55	53
21	42	33	35	33	33	34	46	48	56	58	58	49
22	41	32	33	34	33	34	48	47	58	58	58	50
23	40	32	33	35	33	34	50	49	58	55	54	50
24	41	32	34	33	33	35	47	50	57	54	58	48
25	41	32	32	33	33	40	45	49	52	59	59	48
26	41	32	33	33	34	40	47	55	54	65	60	48
27	39	32	33	33	34	40	49	54	55	61	56	48
28	39	33	33	33	34	41	48	56	56	62	55	49
29	39	33	32	34	--	40	42	50	58	62	56	46
30	39	32	33	34	--	41	42	47	59	62	57	48
31	39	--	32	34	--	38	--	51	--	62	55	--
Aver-												
age	43	33	33	33	33	35	40	47	55	61	58	51

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

LOCATION.—At county bridge 1 mile north of Maybell, Moffat County, and about 3½ miles downstream from gaging station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—3,410 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses. November 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: November 1950 to September 1953.

Sediment records: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES. 1952-53.—Dissolved Solids: Maximum 469 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 78 ppm June 11-20.

Hardness: Maximum 238 ppm Dec. 1-10; minimum, 46 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 807 micromhos Sept. 30; minimum daily, 94.3 micromhos June 19.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 80°F July 16; 78°F July 22; minimum observed, freezing point Nov. 17, Feb. 13, 21.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 1,630 ppm May 22; minimum daily, 6 ppm Jan. 26-31.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 23,100 tons May 22; minimum daily, 4 tons on many days during January and February.

EXTREMES. 1950-53.—Dissolved Solids: Maximum 469 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 72 ppm June 21-30, 1951.

Hardness: Maximum 238 ppm Dec. 1-10, 1952; minimum, 45 ppm June 21-30; July 1-10, 1951.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 807 micromhos Sept. 30, 1953; minimum daily, 94.3 micromhos June 19, 1953.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 81°F July 30, 1951; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 6,000 ppm July 22, 1951; minimum daily, 2 ppm Jan. 21 to Feb. 4, 1951.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 23,100 tons May 22, 1953; minimum daily, 1 ton Jan. 21 to Feb. 4, 1951.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation, prior to Jan. 30, 1951, samples were collected at bridge on U. S. Highway 40, 100 feet upstream from gaging station. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283. No appreciable inflow between gaging station and sampling station.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953																					
		Iron (Fe)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Parts per million	Parts per acre-foot	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Tons per day	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non-carbonate Calcium, magnesium	Percent calcium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	So-dium adsorption ratio	Col- or	
Oct. 1-10, 1952...	168	4.8	0.03	40	19	54	3.0	189	88	36	0.2	0.7	--	337	0.46	153	178	23	39	1.8	570	8.0	7
Oct. 11-31, 1952...	200	8.0	0.02	43	20	50	3.0	196	87	32	.4	.6	--	337	0.46	182	190	29	36	1.6	562	7.9	8
Nov. 1-22, 1952.....	217	11	0.02	45	20	46	3.0	202	87	28	.4	.6	0.08	340	0.46	199	194	29	34	1.4	556	8.1	5
Nov. 23-30, 1952.....	182	15	0.04	54	24	55	3.0	236	109	35	.6	--	414	5.6	203	233	40	34	1.6	665	7.9	8	
Dec. 1-10, 1952.....	243	16	0.03	56	24	49	3.1	248	104	32	.3	.4	--	404	.55	265	238	35	31	1.4	665	7.6	5
Dec. 11-20, 1952.....	237	16	0.03	43	18	41	2.2	200	77	24	.3	1.0	.08	320	.44	205	182	18	33	1.3	525	7.9	5
Dec. 21-31, 1952.....	189	15	0.02	44	19	43	2.2	195	83	27	.4	1.3	--	326	.44	166	188	28	33	1.4	540	7.7	5
Jan. 1-10, 1953.....	239	15	0.02	46	18	42	2.4	198	76	24	.4	1.1	--	320	.44	206	186	24	33	1.3	524	7.4	5
Jan. 11-20.....	229	15	0.04	42	19	42	2.9	191	82	26	.4	1.0	.08	323	.44	200	183	26	33	1.4	531	7.4	5
Jan. 21-31.....	244	14	0.07	43	20	45	2.7	194	89	26	.2	1.0	--	336	.46	221	190	30	34	1.4	546	7.7	7
Feb. 1-10.....	238	12	.10	42	20	46	2.7	190	89	27	.2	.5	--	334	.45	215	187	32	34	1.5	545	7.8	7
Feb. 11-19.....	213	14	.08	44	20	45	2.7	198	89	26	.2	.6	.09	340	.46	196	192	30	33	1.4	552	7.9	5
Feb. 20-28.....	206	13	.09	44	19	45	2.8	196	84	26	.3	.5	--	335	.46	186	188	28	34	1.4	547	7.8	20
Mar. 1-10, 1953.....	284	12	.19	42	18	45	2.8	180	94	26	.2	.6	--	334	.45	256	179	32	35	1.5	538	7.8	20
Mar. 11-20.....	316	13	.10	41	18	42	2.2	169	96	21	.3	.7	.05	318	.43	271	176	38	34	1.4	512	7.8	10
Mar. 21-31.....	584	11	.09	40	19	40	2.2	165	98	19	.2	1.0	--	312	.42	492	178	43	32	1.3	505	7.9	10

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## YAMPA RIVER NEAR MAYBELL, COLO.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (K)	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (Residue at 180°C)		Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, magnesium, and strontium	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or				
													Tons per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day							
Apr. 1-10, 1953 ..	868	12	0.11	4.3	1.9	32	2.7	156	102	13	0.3	3.9	0.04	301	0.41	705	58	27	477	7.8	18	
Apr. 11-24 .....	791	7.9	.11	43	19	34	2.7	163	96	16	.3	3.9	0.04	302	.42	645	186	52	493	7.9	10	
Apr. 25-30 .....	2,197	13	.37	31	10	2.2	2.7	118	36	5.0	--	1.2	--	162	.25	1,395	122	26	261	7.6	--	
May 1-10 .....	1,904	13	.22	28	10	13	1.9	110	39	5.2	.5	2.0	--	180	.24	935	111	21	277	7.4	35	
May 11-23 .....	2,610	12	.24	26	8.6	11	1.9	106	30	4.2	.5	1.4	.05	159	.22	1,240	100	14	243	7.3	35	
May 24-31 .....	8,011	11	--	22	5.9	5.6	--	86	13	2.5	.5	1.8	--	122	.17	2,940	80	9	13	7.3	60	
June 1-10 .....	6,857	9.2	.27	14	4.1	4.7	1.5	58	11	1.7	.5	1.6	--	88	.12	1,630	52	4	16	7.2	45	
June 11-20 .....	7,840	7.9	.27	12	3.8	4.6	1.5	52	8.7	1.3	.5	1.3	.04	78	.11	1,950	46	3	17	7.2	50	
June 21-30 .....	3,850	8.9	.07	16	4.8	7.2	1.3	59	14	4.5	.3	1.2	--	13	.92	907	57	8	21	7.0	35	
July 1-8 .....	1,348	8.6	.02	18	5.9	13	1.6	75	24	8.6	.4	.7	--	122	.17	444	70	6	28	7.2	25	
July 9-20 .....	852	10	.05	26	9.3	19	2.3	112	38	12	.4	.7	.11	179	.24	412	103	11	29	7.4	25	
July 21-31 .....	464	11	.04	22	13	28	2.3	142	51	16	.4	.8	--	238	.31	286	134	17	31	7.5	20	
Aug. 1-10 .....	647	10	.16	34	14	25	3.1	154	54	12	.5	.9	--	233	.32	407	148	22	26	7.6	25	
Aug. 11-20 .....	347	5.0	.04	35	15	31	3.1	152	59	21	.5	1.0	.08	246	.34	232	149	24	31	1.1	20	
Aug. 21-31 .....	213	4.1	.03	37	17	42	3.1	161	74	30	.4	1.4	--	268	.39	166	162	30	35	1.4	492	
Sept. 1-10 .....	143	4.1	.06	38	18	58	2.5	174	92	40	.4	1.0	--	344	.47	133	169	26	42	1.9	575	
Sept. 11-20 .....	89.5	3.2	.08	42	23	72	3.0	192	118	55	.3	1.1	.15	420	.57	101	42	43	2.2	693	7.7	
Sept. 21-30 .....	74.1	3.7	.03	46	24	86	3.0	204	137	64	.3	1.1	--	469	.64	93.8	211	44	47	2.6	775	
Weighted average	1,145	10	0.19	23	8.4	14	1.9	97	31	7.2	0.4	1.5	--	154	0.21	476	92	14	24	0.6	237	--

**GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued**

**YAMPA RIVER NEAR MAYBELL, COLO.--Continued**

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature in Degrees Fahrenheit											
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	65	48	34	33	34	34	44	48	55	64	72	--
2	65	48	34	33	34	34	44	44	55	65	72	74
3	65	45	34	33	34	33	44	46	55	68	72	74
4	65	--	34	33	34	33	42	46	55	70	72	74
5	65	--	34	33	34	33	46	52	55	70	71	74
6	--	--	34	33	34	33	44	55	55	70	77	77
7	63	42	34	33	34	34	44	56	53	75	76	76
8	67	44	34	33	34	34	42	56	55	73	72	75
9	62	40	33	33	33	34	43	54	56	73	72	76
10	62	38	33	33	33	34	42	48	60	73	70	76
11	62	38	33	34	33	34	40	48	58	75	74	76
12	62	40	33	35	33	34	40	48	60	75	75	76
13	62	38	34	38	32	34	40	48	62	75	76	75
14	60	38	34	34	33	34	40	48	62	76	73	75
15	60	38	34	33	33	34	42	48	62	--	73	75
16	56	36	34	34	33	34	49	50	62	78	75	75
17	54	32	34	34	34	34	47	50	62	70	75	75
18	62	36	34	36	34	34	49	52	63	74	75	75
19	62	35	34	34	33	34	50	53	62	78	75	76
20	60	35	34	36	33	34	54	53	63	78	75	76
21	60	38	34	34	32	33	56	54	62	76	71	75
22	60	34	33	34	33	34	58	53	63	76	73	76
23	60	34	33	34	33	36	56	53	63	75	75	72
24	60	34	33	34	34	38	52	53	63	75	75	68
25	60	34	33	34	33	--	54	54	63	75	75	66
26	60	34	33	34	34	38	54	55	64	75	73	64
27	58	33	33	34	33	38	54	55	56	77	75	64
28	60	33	33	34	34	42	52	55	60	77	73	56
29	60	34	33	34	--	45	53	54	63	77	76	61
30	54	34	33	34	--	42	52	54	65	72	75	60
31	52	--	33	34	--	44	--	--	--	74	75	--
Average	61	38	34	34	33	36	48	51	60	74	74	72

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## YAMPA RIVER NEAR MAYBELL, COLO.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)
	Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day	
1.....	165			198			240		
2.....	168			199			270		
3.....	168			202			260		
4.....	170			208			240		
5.....	170	21	10	216	15	8	230	13	9
6.....	170			218			250		
7.....	168			208			240		
8.....	168			205			250		
9.....	168			212			230		
10....	168			219			220		
11....	168			222			250		
12....	168			208			240		
13....	172	18	8	187			240	14	9
14....	175			199			230		
15....	178			233			220		
16....	181			240	32	20	230		
17....	184			254			240		
18....	187			240			240		
19....	199			250			240		
20....	208			250			240		
21....	212	25	14	250			240		
22....	216			170	22	12	230		
23....	222			168			220		
24....	222			200			200		
25....	226			180			170		
26....	219			160			160		
27....	216			150			150		
28....	219	14	8	180	16	8	160	11	5
29....	218			200			170		
30....	205			220			180		
31....	202			--			200		
Total.	5,878	--	312	6,242	--	336	6,880	--	243
	January			February			March		
1.....	220			240			300	197	160
2.....	230			260			280	137	104
3.....	230			250			270		
4.....	240			250			250		
5.....	240	11	7	250	10	7	270	37	27
6.....	250			250			280		
7.....	250			240			290	109	85
8.....	250			230			300	138	112
9.....	240			210			300	155	126
10....	240			200			300	148	120
11....	240	10	7	190	7	4	310	112	94
12....	240			200			300	130	105
13....	240			200			290	80	63
14....	240			200			280	142	107
15....	220			220			270		
16....	200	8	5	230			300		
17....	200			220			320		
18....	220			240	7	4	340	55	51
19....	250			220			360		
20....	240			190			385		
21....	250			170			425		
22....	240	8	5	170			405	50	57
23....	240			190			436		
24....	240			200			365	54	53
25....	240			200	7	4	370	50	a 50
26....	250			220			425		
27....	240			240			528		
28....	230	6	4	270	140	102	635	39	63
29....	250			--	--		798		
30....	260			--	--		958		
31....	240			--	--		1,088	119	327
Total.	7,360	--	175	6,150	--	231	12,418	--	2,664

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

#### **GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued**

**YAMPA RIVER NEAR MAYBELL, COLO.--Continued**

**Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued**

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
	Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	
1.....	1,060			2,730			7,590	259	5,310
2.....	929			2,240			7,930	240	5,140
3.....	887			1,820			7,780	197	4,140
4.....	824	84	203	1,600			7,470	169	3,410
5.....	859			1,380	80	378	7,160	158	3,050
6.....	824			1,230			6,920	155	2,900
7.....	915			1,260			6,390	160	2,760
8.....	901			1,690			6,000	162	2,620
9.....	782			2,320			5,380	163	2,370
10.....	698			2,770			5,940	118	1,890
11.....	642			2,640	103	604	6,940	153	2,870
12.....	594			2,160			7,710	230	4,790
13.....	552			1,880			8,170	218	4,810
14.....	516			1,750			9,030	291	7,090
15.....	522			1,710			8,680	194	5,070
16.....	546			1,780		55	275	110	2,660
17.....	510			2,060			7,420	108	2,160
18.....	558	22	35	2,360	151	962	6,710	119	2,160
19.....	621			2,620	189	1,340	6,860	140	2,590
20.....	642			2,890	231	1,800	6,920	118	2,200
21.....	684			4,080	1,080	s 13,400	5,980		
22.....	1,080	155	567	5,250	1,630	23,100	5,030		
23.....	1,630			5,350	770	11,100	4,580		
24.....	1,980	1,050	5,610	5,330	390	5,610	4,270		
25.....	2,240	494	2,990	5,210	313	4,400	3,880		
26.....	2,360	227	1,450	5,980	500	8,070	3,330		
27.....	2,460	266	1,770	6,730	543	9,870	2,720		
28.....	2,850	236	1,820	7,200	516	10,000	2,480		
29.....	3,450	285	2,650	8,600	649	15,100	2,240		
30.....	3,420	362	3,340	9,130	550	13,600	1,990		
31.....	--	--	--	7,900	330	a 7,000	--	--	--
Total.	36,536	--	23,243	111,660	--	133,051	183,470	--	80,989
	July			August			September		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)			Mean dis- charge (cfs)			Mean dis- charge (cfs)		
1.....	1,800			516	400	557	198		
2.....	1,780			740	450	899	188		
3.....	1,570			859	151	350	167		
4.....	1,410	22	84	998	168	453	138		
5.....	1,230			901	107	260	132	50	20
6.....	1,080			663			125		
7.....	1,010			534			122		
8.....	901			458			125		
9.....	817			415	57	73	118		
10.....	747			390			115		
11.....	726	33	78	385			108	83	23
12.....	901			395			100		
13.....	1,200			405			93		
14.....	864			375			93		
15.....	747	21	42	335	22	21	93		
16.....	733			312			91		
17.....	740			312			89		
18.....	1,010			325			83		
19.....	894	43	95	325			75		
20.....	817			298	66	54	70	54	12
21.....	726			272			75		
22.....	698			252			79		
23.....	552			226	66	41	79		
24.....	480			205			79		
25.....	425	81	106	208			79		
26.....	380			208			77	26	5
27.....	375			202			68		
28.....	335			188			67		
29.....	335	38	35	191			66		
30.....	335			198			72		
31.....	442	159	190	194			--	--	--
Total.	26,110	--	2,684	12,285	--	3,513	3,064	--	445

Total discharge for year (cfs-days)..... 418,053  
Total load for year (tons)..... 247,000

Total load for year (tons)..... 247,886  
a Computed by subdividing day.

s Computed by subdividing day.  
a Computed from estimated con-

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## YAMPA RIVER NEAR MAYBELL, COLO.--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
					Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	
Mar. 30, 1953	5:00 p.m.	950	42	73	--							S
	5:30 p.m.	4,850	53	1,450	3,350	49	--					SPWCM
May 21, 1953	5:00 p.m.	5,860	55	1,677	2,480	32	66	95	98	99	100	--
June 8, 1953	5:00 p.m.	325	72	16	230	65	51	66	88	99	100	SPWCM
July 30, 1953	5:00 p.m.	198	76	10	--	71	80	83	94	96	98	SPWCM
Aug. 28, 1953	5:00 p.m.				--		--					S

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE SNAKE RIVER NEAR LILY, COLO.

LOCATION.—About 2 miles upstream from gaging station, which is 6 miles north of Lily, Moffat County, and 10 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—3,730 square miles (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,150 ppm June 11-20; minimum, 116 ppm June 11-20.

Hardness: Maximum, 481 ppm June 1-5; minimum, 66 ppm June 11-20; minimum, 116 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 146 micromhos Aug. 1; minimum daily, 146 micromhos June 17.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 69°F July 16; minimum observed, freezing point on many days from October to March.

EXTREMES 1950-53.—Dissolved solids (1950-51, 1952-53): Maximum, 1,150 ppm Aug. 1-5, 1953; minimum, 116 ppm June 11-20, 1953.

Hardness (1950-51, 1952-53): Maximum, 588 ppm July 20, 1951; minimum, 66 ppm June 11-20, 1953.

Specific conductance (1950-51, 1952-53): Maximum daily, 1,770 micromhos Aug. 1, 1953; minimum daily, 146 micromhos June 17, 1953.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 82°F Aug. 16, 1951; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids residue at 180°C.				Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>			
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-day	Percent non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
Oct. 1-10, 1952...	14.2	9.5	0.03	74	27	158	4.0	228	361	0.3	0.4	--	0.14	323	1.12	296	4.0	1,230
Oct. 11-20...	23.9	52.5	0.03	77	31	194	4.0	267	398	.74	.4	.6	.14	328	1.26	50.9	5.7	8.0
Oct. 21-31.....	52.5	12	0.03	64	23	98	3.0	256	225	.42	.4	.9	--	610	.83	86.5	--	8.0
Nov. 1-21.....	60.5	16	0.03	88	31	120	3.2	256	205	.36	.4	.6	.10	578	.79	94.4	45	8.4
Nov. 22-30.....	29.4	21	0.03	65	16	98	3.0	256	251	.42	.4	.6	.11	734	1.00	55.3	347	8.7
Dec. 1-10.....	65.0	27	0.04	77	29	98	3.2	315	203	.34	.4	.9	--	623	.85	109	53	8.1
Dec. 11-20.....	65.0	23	0.05	65	60	18	2.8	264	137	.24	.3	.8	--	487	.64	82.0	311	8.2
Dec. 21-31.....	65.0	22	0.04	60	18	57	2.4	241	122	.20	.2	.8	--	406	.55	71.3	248	8.2
Jan. 1-10, 1953...	75.0	23	0.04	61	18	58	3.3	241	129	.18	.3	.8	--	416	.57	84.2	226	9
Jan. 11-20.....	75.0	21	0.05	61	17	55	2.8	233	119	.18	.3	.9	--	412	.56	83.4	222	7.9
Jan. 21-31.....	75.0	20	0.07	58	18	57	2.3	226	122	.18	.3	.4	--	407	.55	82.4	218	7.8
Feb. 1-10.....	75.0	18	0.06	54	18	61	2.3	212	125	.26	.3	.4	--	412	.56	83.4	208	7.9
Feb. 11-19.....	75.0	18	0.08	60	19	65	2.3	232	139	.24	.3	.3	--	440	.60	88.1	322	8.0
Feb. 20-28.....	75.0	20	0.12	63	20	61	2.6	240	133	.22	.4	.8	--	438	.60	88.7	239	7.9
Mar. 1-10.....	233	16	0.10	41	12	71	2.8	190	109	.24	.3	1.1	--	374	.51	235	152	8.0
Mar. 11-20.....	388	17	0.03	48	15	80	1.9	209	146	.25	.3	1.4	0.05	433	.59	46.5	182	8.1
Mar. 21-31.....	286	19	0.03	52	16	70	1.9	207	143	.22	.4	1.2	--	429	.58	34.5	196	8.0
Apr. 1-10.....	396	17	0.08	58	17	56	1.9	204	138	.19	.4	1.2	--	414	.56	44.5	214	8.0
Apr. 11-24.....	263	19	0.05	57	17	69	1.9	218	143	.23	.4	.8	.06	444	.60	315	212	7.9
Apr. 25-30.....	878	18	0.10	42	11	25	1.4	152	65	.6.5	--	1.3	--	35	.602	254	.9	8.0

a Includes equivalent of 7.9 parts per million of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub>).

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE SNAKE RIVER NEAR LILY, COLO.--Continued

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Sodium adsorption ratio	Percent sodium carbonate as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Col- or									
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sum (K)	Bicar- bonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bar- ron (B)	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day										
May 1-10, 1953 ..	795	18	0.01	44	12	24	1.5	154	66	7.0	0.4	1.7	--	254	0.35	538	160	34	24	0.8	391	7.8	15			
May 11-20 .....	902	16	.04	38	9.1	16	1.0	133	37	5.2	.4	1.3	--	194	.26	504	126	18	21	.6	301	7.8	15			
May 21-31 .....	2,475	15	.07	32	6.9	13	1.2	119	27	3.8	.3	1.8	--	169	.23	1,30	108	11	21	.5	254	7.8	32			
June 1-10 .....	2,281	13	--	12	5.1	8.1	1.2	88	23	2.0	.4	1.9	--	121	.16	745	78	6	18	.4	176	7.7	40			
June 11-20 .....	2,202	12	.16	19	5.1	7.9	.9	76	15	1.0	.4	1.4	--	116	.16	700	66	4	20	.4	159	7.9	45			
June 21-28 .....	1,100	14	.11	24	4.6	7.7	12	7	12	1.2	.93	24	3.2	.4	.7	--	137	.19	407	80	4	24	.6	208	7.5	30
June 29-30, July 1-4	347	15	.04	31	7.6	26	2.2	125	51	0.0	.4	.5	--	207	.26	194	108	6	34	1.1	320	7.6	30			
July 5-10 .....	120	17	.03	42	11	51	3.2	164	96	16	.3	.4	--	317	.43	133	150	16	42	1.8	492	8.0	13			
July 11-20 .....	43.2	17	.03	61	16	90	5.1	199	196	32	.3	.7	0.12	518	.70	60.4	218	55	47	2.6	780	7.9	10			
July 21-31 .....	24.3	31	.06	78	22	115	6.1	213	296	36	.3	.3	.14	682	.93	44.7	285	110	46	3.0	1,000	7.7	10			
Aug. 1-5 .....	103	22	.09	149	29	165	9.5	246	532	66	.6	.7	--	1,150	1.56	32.0	491	280	42	3.2	1,530	7.8	22			
Aug. 6-10 .....	162	19	.09	58	14	83	4.5	233	154	22	.6	.1	--	207	.64	207	202	11	46	2.6	726	7.8	13			
Aug. 11-20 .....	37.6	18	.07	68	19	113	5.2	237	238	34	.4	.8	--	616	.84	62.5	248	54	49	3.1	921	8.1	5			
Aug. 21-31 .....	14.3	15	.07	77	24	142	6.1	230	335	46	.3	.6	--	770	1.05	29.7	290	102	51	3.6	1,130	7.8	5			
Sept. 1-10 .....	5.0	15	.07	85	25	150	6.0	220	364	54	.3	.2	--	816	1.11	11.0	315	134	50	3.7	1,190	8.0	5			
Sept. 11-20 .....	1.7	16	.07	85	25	145	6.0	216	367	56	.3	.1	.14	823	1.12	3.78	315	138	49	3.6	1,190	8.1	5			
Sept. 21-30 .....	.2	20	.11	87	22	130	3.2	215	323	48	.3	.4	--	755	1.03	.408	308	132	48	3.2	1,120	8.0	10			
Weighted average	371	15	0.09	35	9.0	26	1.5	132	56	8.2	0.4	1.4	--	225	0.31	225	124	16	31	1.1	339	--	--			

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE SNAKE RIVER NEAR LILY, COLO.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	44	39	--	31	33	32	41	45	54	64	65	53
2	43	37	--	32	32	32	40	43	55	62	65	57
3	43	31	31	31	31	32	40	40	54	62	63	54
4	44	31	31	32	32	32	41	43	55	60	63	50
5	43	31	31	32	32	34	42	44	56	63	59	50
6	40	31	31	32	32	33	45	49	51	60	62	50
7	38	31	31	32	32	33	43	53	51	61	60	50
8	38	31	31	32	32	33	40	49	52	63	64	57
9	36	31	31	32	32	35	40	48	53	65	65	54
10	36	31	31	--	32	35	41	45	56	65	62	59
11	42	31	31	--	32	36	37	44	59	67	58	57
12	41	31	31	--	32	35	40	45	63	63	56	55
13	40	31	--	--	32	35	39	45	--	65	63	--
14	39	31	32	--	32	36	45	48	--	66	56	53
15	31	32	32	--	32	35	40	49	63	66	60	55
16	36	31	32	32	32	41	43	53	59	69	60	55
17	35	31	31	32	32	44	40	54	60	64	60	55
18	36	31	31	32	32	35	39	54	63	63	56	56
19	38	31	31	32	32	37	--	52	62	60	58	56
20	41	31	31	32	32	34	48	51	60	62	59	48
21	37	31	32	32	32	33	54	53	58	59	60	52
22	37	31	31	32	32	34	56	48	62	62	60	52
23	35	31	31	32	32	41	55	49	63	59	60	48
24	35	31	31	32	32	42	56	50	68	60	60	53
25	35	31	31	32	32	47	54	50	57	66	60	45
26	35	31	32	33	32	44	60	54	60	67	60	47
27	34	31	31	33	32	48	53	55	60	64	59	49
28	33	31	31	33	32	48	54	57	60	67	61	50
29	32	31	31	32	--	47	52	54	59	66	57	46
30	35	31	31	32	--	42	47	50	63	66	56	45
31	34	--	32	32	--	42	--	54	--	65	53	--
Average	38	32	31	32	32	38	46	49	58	64	60	52

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR JENSEN, UTAH

LOCATION.--At gaging station, 1 mile below Cub Creek, 6½ miles northeast of Jensen, Uintah County, and 12 miles upstream from Brush Creek.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: October 1952 to September 1953.

Sediment records: May 1948 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 78°F July 14; minimum observed, freezing point Dec. 1, 15, Jan. 20.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 3,050 ppm June 17; minimum daily, 12 ppm Sept. 24-30.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 181,000 tons June 17; minimum daily, 26 tons Sept. 24-30.

EXTREMES, 1948-53.--Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 15,800 ppm Apr. 9, 1952; minimum daily, 12 ppm Sept. 24-30, 1953.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 567,000 tons Apr. 9, 1952; minimum daily, 26 tons Sept. 24-30, 1953.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283. Records of chemical analyses from June 1947 to September 1952 and water temperatures from March 1949 to September 1952 for Green River at Jensen available in prior Water-Supply Papers.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	63	42	32	33	33	--	43	46	60	66	70	--
2	63	42	--	33	33	--	42	46	59	66	70	--
3	63	40	--	33	34	37	41	45	--	66	69	68
4	63	41	--	33	34	38	44	46	58	--	67	66
5	62	41	--	33	34	37	42	47	59	68	66	65
6	62	41	--	33	34	38	42	55	56	69	--	--
7	--	40	--	33	34	--	42	53	57	70	65	72
8	--	40	--	33	34	--	42	53	58	71	65	74
9	--	39	--	33	33	40	40	50	62	72	71	66
10	--	39	--	33	33	40	41	50	65	70	66	58
11	--	--	--	33	34	39	37	49	66	72	65	58
12	--	--	--	33	34	--	38	49	68	72	63	60
13	54	37	--	33	34	38	38	49	68	--	63	60
14	55	--	--	33	34	38	42	56	65	78	65	60
15	50	--	32	33	33	34	50	51	71	73	66	60
16	54	34	33	33	33	35	43	54	64	74	67	60
17	54	34	33	33	35	37	48	54	64	72	65	63
18	53	34	33	33	35	36	45	56	65	72	68	58
19	54	34	33	34	33	32	44	56	68	72	66	58
20	--	33	33	32	33	39	45	56	--	72	65	57
21	50	33	33	33	33	35	48	54	62	68	66	58
22	55	33	33	33	34	36	52	52	63	69	65	59
23	55	33	33	33	34	36	55	53	63	69	63	56
24	55	33	33	33	35	38	55	52	65	70	64	55
25	55	33	33	33	35	42	52	53	60	70	68	55
26	--	33	33	33	36	42	54	52	61	71	66	55
27	--	33	33	33	36	45	54	56	62	71	65	55
28	--	33	33	33	37	54	53	58	62	71	62	54
29	--	33	--	33	--	47	51	--	62	--	62	53
30	--	33	--	33	--	47	49	59	66	71	64	53
31	46	--	33	33	--	45	--	59	--	70	--	--
Average	--	36	--	33	34	36	46	52	63	71	66	60

## GREEN RIVER BASIN

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## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR JENSEN, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1958

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	1,180			1,160			580		
2.....	1,180			1,150			650		
3.....	1,180			1,140	37	115	670		
4.....	1,180	22	69	1,150			700		
5.....	1,140			1,170			735		
6.....	1,110			1,180			765		
7.....	1,110			1,190			805		
8.....	1,120			1,180	40	127	885		
9.....	1,120			1,180			870		
10....	1,110	--	b 80	1,180			845		
11....	1,110			1,110			905		
12....	1,110			1,080	--	b 90	905		
13....	1,100			1,100			995		
14....	1,100			1,120			1,040		
15....	1,080			1,110			1,050		
16....	1,060			1,160	73	224	1,060		
17....	1,060			1,260			1,090		
18....	1,070			1,280			1,100		
19....	1,070			1,080			1,100	36	105
20....	1,090			1,020			1,100		
21....	1,100			1,060			1,070		
22....	1,130			980			1,010		
23....	1,160			692	72	148	960		
24....	1,170			552			920		
25....	1,180	36	112	520			880		
26....	1,180			490			840		
27....	1,180			480			780		
28....	1,180			490	60	82	750		
29....	1,160			520			790		
30....	1,160			550			880	--	b 60
31....	1,160			--	--	--	970	41	107
Total.	34,980	--	2,890	29,274	--	4,332	27,700	--	3,191
January			February			March			
1.....	1,010			1,350			1,240	120	a 400
2.....	1,080			1,370			1,250	120	a 400
3.....	1,100			1,380			1,270	200	866
4.....	1,150	41	127	1,390	102	382	1,290	180	827
5.....	1,200			1,410			1,450	200	783
6.....	1,230			1,420			1,540	200	832
7.....	1,300			1,430			1,550	210	a 880
8.....	1,280			1,480			1,590	500	a 2,100
9.....	1,260			1,410			1,680	740	3,360
10....	1,250	36	119	1,000	107	392	1,870	850	4,290
11....	1,220			1,320			2,250	1,000	6,080
12....	1,200			1,430			2,780	2,200	a 17,000
13....	1,190			1,420	78	299	2,860	3,280	25,300
14....	1,170			1,420			2,720	2,120	15,600
15....	1,160			1,430			2,410	1,810	11,800
16....	1,100	91	275	1,420			2,420	1,600	10,500
17....	1,100			1,400	49	183	2,320	1,020	6,390
18....	1,110			1,380			2,320	730	4,570
19....	1,120			1,320			2,260	650	3,970
20....	1,120			1,280			2,260	790	4,820
21....	1,160			1,120			2,110	900	5,130
22....	1,160			1,050			1,960	700	3,700
23....	1,150			1,090			1,880	490	2,490
24....	1,180	150	481	1,120			1,830	470	2,320
25....	1,200			1,180	50	154	1,830	400	1,980
26....	1,280			1,180			1,940	370	1,940
27....	1,290			1,180			2,020	500	2,730
28....	1,300			1,220			2,320	570	3,570
29....	1,320	143	507	--	--	--	2,500	1,300	8,780
30....	1,310			--	--	--	2,730	1,900	14,000
31....	1,350			--	--	--	3,070	1,450	12,000
Total.	37,030	--	8,793	36,590	--	7,456	63,520	--	179,028

a Computed from water-sediment concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR JENSEN, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	3,230	1,230	10,700	7,810	2,570	54,200	12,100	1,530	50,000
2.....	3,490	1,240	11,700	6,920	2,100	39,200	12,100	1,470	48,000
3.....	3,360	1,410	12,800	6,100	1,600	26,400	12,900	1,600	a 56,000
4.....	3,220	1,170	10,200	5,360	1,170	16,900	13,000	1,450	50,900
5.....	3,110	900	7,580	4,750	1,010	13,000	12,700	1,370	47,000
6.....	2,960	750	5,990	4,210	770	8,750	12,800	980	33,900
7.....	2,930	500	3,980	3,840	870	8,850	13,000	1,180	41,400
8.....	2,920	510	4,020	3,620	680	8,650	12,800	1,380	47,000
9.....	3,010	650	5,280	4,150	910	10,200	13,200	1,350	48,100
10.....	2,970	450	3,610	5,100	1,400	19,300	12,900	1,520	52,900
11.....	2,800	400	3,020	5,860	1,370	21,700	13,200	1,600	57,000
12.....	2,590	340	2,380	5,770	1,370	21,300	14,600	1,700	67,000
13.....	2,470	280	1,870	5,080	1,130	15,500	15,600	2,000	84,200
14.....	2,340	310	1,960	4,590	720	8,920	16,700	2,410	109,000
15.....	2,210	500	2,980	4,300	550	6,390	19,200	3,040	156,000
16.....	2,140	460	2,660	4,100	500	5,540	21,800	2,790	164,000
17.....	2,190	360	2,130	4,080	540	5,950	22,000	3,050	181,000
18.....	2,200	330	1,980	4,480	610	7,350	21,300	2,190	128,000
19.....	2,190	400	2,370	4,890	890	11,800	21,200	1,770	101,000
20.....	2,190	410	2,420	5,380	1,120	16,300	21,500	1,600	a 93,000
21.....	2,290	400	2,470	5,840	2,020	31,900	21,700	1,210	70,900
22.....	2,450	550	3,640	9,180	2,040	s 50,400	20,600	1,190	66,200
23.....	2,540	510	3,500	9,730	1,720	45,200	19,100	1,140	58,800
24.....	3,290	920	8,170	9,200	2,710	67,300	18,300	1,110	54,800
25.....	4,320	2,100	24,500	9,340	1,750	44,100	18,900	1,080	49,300
26.....	4,750	1,750	22,400	9,450	1,530	39,000	15,000	1,050	42,500
27.....	5,380	2,030	29,500	10,000	2,000	54,000	13,200	1,040	37,100
28.....	6,030	2,100	34,200	10,900	2,100	61,800	12,000	920	29,800
29.....	6,650	2,090	37,500	11,500	2,300	a 71,000	10,900	890	26,200
30.....	7,370	2,420	48,200	13,200	2,800	92,700	9,780	710	18,700
31.....	--	--	--	13,600	2,470	90,700	--	--	--
Total.	99,590	--	313,650	212,310	--	970,400	472,060	--	2,069,700
	July			August			September		
1.....	8,680	540	12,700	2,520	780	5,310	1,310	--	b 230
2.....	7,760	520	10,900	2,760	900	6,710	1,280	--	b 210
3.....	7,080	500	9,560	2,670	1,740	12,500	1,240		
4.....	6,550	460	a 8,100	3,280	1,450	12,800	1,220	58	192
5.....	6,250	350	5,910	3,550	800	7,870	1,210		
6.....	6,130	360	5,960	3,700	1,500	a 15,000	1,180	--	b 160
7.....	6,030	350	5,700	3,780	1,900	19,400	1,130		
8.....	5,790	310	4,850	3,410	1,330	12,200	1,110		
9.....	5,400	260	3,790	3,130	740	6,250	1,100		
10.....	5,040	240	3,270	2,940	500	3,970	1,080	38	111
11.....	4,770	210	2,700	2,780	790	5,890	1,060		
12.....	4,610	220	2,740	2,590	840	5,870	1,040		
13.....	4,590	230	a 2,900	2,460	330	2,190	1,020		
14.....	4,910	239	3,170	2,340	200	1,280	1,000		
15.....	4,770	221	2,850	2,260	139	848	987		
16.....	4,370	200	2,380	2,190	141	834	959	23	60
17.....	4,080	180	1,980	2,090	100	564	931		
18.....	4,020	151	1,640	1,980	90	481	910		
19.....	4,280	200	2,300	1,930	90	469	904		
20.....	4,320	190	2,220	1,870	74	374	878		
21.....	3,910	190	2,010	1,830	75	371	864	14	83
22.....	3,710	680	6,810	1,780	68	327	839		
23.....	3,410	180	1,860	1,740	51	240	821		
24.....	3,130	115	972	1,720	100	464	815		
25.....	2,930	114	902	1,680	270	1,220	821		
26.....	2,750	107	794	1,610			815		
27.....	2,580	99	690	1,550			809	12	26
28.....	2,430	99	650	1,500	88	360	797		
29.....	2,410	590	a 3,800	1,480			791		
30.....	2,330	1,090	6,880	1,430			774		
31.....	2,540	1,450	9,940	1,360	--	b 260	--	--	--
Total.	141,560	--	130,688	71,890	--	125,272	29,695	--	2,549

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 1,256,199  
 Total load for year (tons) ..... 3,817,949

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment for water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

## Suspended sediment

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs): <sup>a</sup>	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters								Methods of analysis	
					0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250		
Oct. 5, 1952	6:00 p.m.	1,140	62	18	--	--	--	--	--	80	95	98	100	-- S
Oct. 15	4:30 p.m.	a 1,060	55	18	--	--	--	--	--	95	98	99	100	-- S
Oct. 25	5:00 p.m.	1,180	55	18	--	--	--	--	--	95	98	99	100	-- S
Nov. 5	4:00 p.m.	1,170	41	54	--	--	--	--	--	42	78	89	97	100 S
Nov. 16	3:30 p.m.	a 1,160	34	54	--	--	--	--	--	92	95	96	99	100 S
Nov. 25	3:30 p.m.	520	33	54	--	--	--	--	--	87	96	99	100	-- S
Dec. 16	5:00 p.m.	a 1,060	33	25	--	--	--	--	--	93	95	97	99	100 S
Dec. 25	4:30 p.m.	a 850	40	25	--	--	--	--	--	83	89	95	99	-- SBWC M
Jan. 15, 1953	3:00 p.m.	1,160	33	33	--	--	--	--	--	70	83	89	95	-- SPWC M
Jan. 25	3:00 p.m.	a 1,200	108	33	--	--	--	--	--	81	92	96	100	-- SPWC M
Feb. 5	4:00 p.m.	1,410	34	33	--	--	--	--	--	85	92	96	100	-- SPWC M
Feb. 15	1:30 p.m.	a 1,430	33	54	--	--	--	--	--	86	92	96	100	-- SPN
Feb. 25	5:30 p.m.	1,160	35	52	1,250	42	48	58	70	83	89	95	100	-- S
Feb. 26	11:45 p.m.	a 1,220	37	52	1,250	42	48	58	70	83	89	95	100	-- SPWC M
Mar. 13	11:50 a.m.	2,660	38	3,270	4,160	--	74	--	93	--	96	98	100	--
Mar. 13	11:50 a.m.	2,660	38	3,270	6,070	62	71	82	90	95	98	100	--	-- SBWC M
Mar. 28	2:15 p.m.	2,400	54	543	2,050	63	--	81	92	96	99	100	--	-- SPWC M
Apr. 3	3:00 p.m.	3,290	48	1,520	3,800	--	68	--	85	92	96	99	100	--
Apr. 3	3:00 p.m.	3,290	48	1,520	3,750	--	6	--	86	92	96	99	100	--
Apr. 10	12:20 p.m.	2,960	41	3,21	--	--	--	--	85	91	98	100	--	-- SPWC M
Apr. 25	4:30 p.m.	a 4,610	60	2,350	3,800	--	42	--	62	--	82	94	100	--
May 28	2:00 p.m.	11,090	63	2,360	5,380	--	22	--	32	--	54	67	84	98 100
June 8	11:30 a.m.	12,900	62	1,250	1,160	--	18	--	25	--	42	57	74	92 99
June 29	12:00 m.	10,900	68	739	1,270	10	13	16	19	--	24	44	74	93 99
July 9	4:00 p.m.	5,360	78	232	--	--	--	--	--	--	66	85	98	100 -- V
July 14	4:00 p.m.	5,120	78	237	--	--	--	--	--	--	64	91	99	100 -- V
July 28	3:05 p.m.	2,420	77	68	--	--	--	--	--	--	86	95	99	100 -- S
Aug. 11	12:20 p.m.	2,760	69	423	--	--	--	--	--	--	97	99	100	-- S
Aug. 26	3:00 p.m.	1,620	66	65	--	--	--	--	--	--	95	98	100	-- S
Sept. 7	4:30 p.m.	a 1,130	66	26	--	--	--	--	--	--	96	98	100	-- S

a. Mean daily discharge.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WHITE RIVER NEAR WATSON, UTAH

LOCATION.--At gaging station, just downstream from bridge on State Highway 45, 1 mile downstream from Evacuation Creek, and 7 miles north of Watson, Uintah County.

DRAINTAGE AREA.--4,020 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,450 ppm Aug. 1; minimum, 240 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 1,750 micromhos June 1; minimum daily, 327 micromhos June 18.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 82°F July 20; minimum observed, freezing point on many days from November to April.

EXTREMES 1950-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum observed, 1,750 micromhos Aug. 1, 1953; minimum, 230 ppm June 21-30, 1951.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,450 ppm Aug. 1, 1953; minimum daily, 318 micromhos June 28, 1951.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 82°F July 20, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbo- nate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Nitro- rate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per- cent carbon- ate	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
													Parts per mil- lion	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot				
Oct. 10, 1952	426	--	--	74	26	--	188	174	64	19	0.10 <sup>a</sup>	545	0.74	627	--	36	1.9	864	--
Oct. 11-31.....	416	16	16	78	26	80	195	177	66	24	--	539	.73	605	202	138	8.66	7.6	
Nov. 1-19.....	307	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	555	.75	610	302	142	2.0	7.6	
Nov. 20-30.....	299	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	616	.92	546	--	--	--	1,220	--
Dec. 1-10.....	414	--	--	--	20	81	202	164	66	29	--	685	.93	766	--	--	--	1,160	--
Dec. 11-20.....	461	17	--	72	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	563	.75	688	261	95	40	2.2	874
Dec. 21-31.....	409	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	673	.92	743	--	--	--	1,020	--
Jan. 1-10, 1953.....	407	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	580	.79	637	--	--	--	898	--
Jan. 11-20.....	415	17	21	84	224	178	66	224	66	2.7	.07	552	.75	619	270	86	40	2.2	857
Jan. 21-30.....	395	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	614	.84	638	--	--	--	944	--
Feb. 1-10.....	394	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	607	.83	646	--	--	--	947	--
Feb. 11-17.....	394	--	--	78	24	94	230	207	73	1.2	.16	654	.84	793	104	--	--	951	8.0
Feb. 18-20.....	405	6.8	32	13	45	94	107	35	1.5	--	a.287	.39	314	1.33	56	42	1.7	483	--
Feb. 21-22.....	398	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	296	.40	304	--	--	--	493	--
Feb. 23-28.....	498	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	650	.88	874	--	--	--	1,000	--
Mar. 1-10.....	663	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	591	.80	1,060	--	--	--	933	--
Mar. 11-20.....	621	15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	646	.88	1,080	302	105	41	2.4	1,020
Mar. 21-31.....	458	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	704	.96	872	--	--	--	1,070	--
Apr. 1-10.....	451	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	718	.98	874	--	--	--	1,070	--
Apr. 11-20.....	407	15	79	26	100	265	232	76	--	--	--	658	.89	723	302	93	42	2.5	777
Apr. 21-30.....	473	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	628	.85	802	--	949	.67	1,190	--
Apr. 24-30.....	709	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	496	--	--	--	--	--	--	776

<sup>a</sup> Sum of determined constituents.

May 1-10, 1953...	660	17	75	20	73	196	173	24	994	.76	109	37	1.9	884
May 11-20.....	724	16	64	22	66	233	141	46	962	.67	270	57	1.8	845
May 21-26.....	1,507	17	66	17	51	204	113	31	493	.50	1,760	213	1.5	757
May 27-31.....	2,560	14	52	15	25	178	65	16	35	.35	1,940	192	.8	492
June 1, 5-7.....	2,540	14	45	11	20	185	58	16	2.2	--	287	.39	--	8.0
June 2-4, 8-10 <sup>b</sup> .....	2,405	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	280	.35	1,780	180	.33	22
June 11-20.....	3,025	14	45	9.7	17	147	49	15	2.0	.08	240	.33	1,860	152
June 22-28 <sup>b</sup> .....	1,710	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	31	20	.6	375
June 24, 26-30....	1,014	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	768
July 1-10 <sup>b</sup> .....	545	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	324	.44	887	--	--	--
July 11-17 <sup>b</sup> .....	611	23	73	21	53	444	176	39	.9	.07	513	.70	846	266
July 18-20 <sup>b</sup> .....	626	27	--	--	78	c 444	156	58	.2	.15	--	--	420	56
July 21 <sup>b</sup> .....	538	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,210
July 22-28.....	410	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,250
July 30-31.....	559	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	522	.71	578	--	--	--
Aug. 1.....	2,340	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	702	.95	1,060	--	--	--
Aug. 2-10.....	586	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,450	1.97	9,160	836	--	--
Aug. 11.....	1,380	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	626	.85	990	--	--	--
Aug. 12-20.....	489	21	--	--	--	--	268	--	970	1.32	3,610	530	--	--
Aug. 21-31.....	359	--	--	--	--	--	172	58	574	.76	758	270	--	--
Sept. 1-10.....	310	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	600	.82	582	--	--	--
Sept. 11-20.....	291	18	--	--	69	27	244	187	632	.86	529	--	--	--
Sept. 21-30.....	262	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	626	.85	493	282	.82	43
Weighted average	d 619	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	505	0.69	844	--	--	789

b Not included for computation of weighted averages.

c Includes equivalent of 41 parts per million of carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ ).

d Represents 88 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN

#### GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

WHITE RIVER NEAR WATSON, UTAH--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$  F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
Once-daily measurement taken at approximately 3:15 p.m.

Day	Oct.	Since daily measurement began at approximately 9:00 p.m.,										
		Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	--	52	31	31	31	34	45	48	58	68	70	65
2	58	50	31	31	31	32	42	52	58	70	70	62
3	52	50	32	31	31	32	50	50	60	72	70	60
4	58	52	32	31	31	32	50	50	60	68	72	--
5	55	52	32	32	34	33	50	48	56	76	75	60
6	54	50	32	32	34	32	38	48	62	68	75	65
7	52	50	31	32	32	32	40	56	58	70	76	65
8	52	50	31	31	32	32	31	58	60	70	78	68
9	50	50	32	31	31	32	31	58	60	75	78	65
10	52	50	32	32	31	32	32	--	60	68	70	65
11	52	50	32	32	32	34	34	56	62	73	70	62
12	50	50	31	31	31	34	36	56	65	70	78	78
13	52	45	31	--	31	34	38	52	68	76	76	62
14	52	40	32	32	31	34	38	52	68	75	72	66
15	50	40	32	32	32	36	38	52	68	78	70	68
16	50	35	31	31	31	36	38	52	62	80	72	68
17	50	35	31	31	31	34	40	56	68	80	70	68
18	52	35	31	31	--	34	40	58	66	78	70	62
19	--	33	32	34	32	--	42	60	64	80	75	65
20	52	32	32	32	31	34	50	62	66	82	70	65
21	50	32	32	32	31	34	50	50	--	80	68	68
22	50	34	34	32	31	36	56	55	66	80	65	--
23	52	32	32	31	32	36	58	55	68	80	65	--
24	52	32	31	32	32	40	58	58	70	80	68	60
25	52	32	31	33	33	40	60	58	--	78	65	60
26	50	32	32	32	32	44	58	60	68	75	68	62
27	52	31	31	32	32	45	56	60	60	75	68	62
28	50	31	31	32	34	50	50	60	66	78	68	62
29	50	31	31	32	--	50	50	60	68	75	66	65
30	52	31	31	31	--	46	50	55	68	75	65	65
31	50	--	31	32	--	45	--	56	--	78	65	--
Average	52	41	32	32	32	37	45	55	64	75	71	65

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR OURAY, UTAH

LOCATION.--At gaging station, 2½ miles upstream from Willow Creek and 3 miles southwest of Ouray, Uintah County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1952.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1952.

Sediment records: December 1950 to September 1953.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

## Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	2,080	--	--	1,990	--	--	1,350	--	--
2.....	2,030	--	--	1,990	--	--	1,450	--	--
3.....	2,020	347	1,890	1,990	--	--	1,500	--	--
4.....	1,990	--	--	1,980	--	--	1,550	--	--
5.....	1,940	--	--	1,990	332	1,780	1,550	--	--
6.....	1,910	--	--	2,010	--	--	1,550	--	--
7.....	1,880	--	--	2,040	--	--	1,650	--	--
8.....	1,850	--	--	2,080	--	--	1,750	--	--
9.....	1,860	--	--	2,130	--	--	1,880	--	--
10.....	1,850	--	--	2,150	--	--	1,950	--	--
11.....	1,830	--	--	2,140	--	--	2,000	--	--
12.....	1,810	--	--	2,150	--	--	2,100	--	--
13.....	1,810	--	--	2,130	--	--	2,200	--	--
14.....	1,810	--	--	2,120	307	1,780	2,280	--	--
15.....	1,800	278	1,350	2,200	--	--	2,320	--	--
16.....	1,810	--	--	2,220	--	--	2,400	--	--
17.....	1,800	--	--	2,240	--	--	2,480	--	--
18.....	1,800	--	--	2,340	--	--	2,400	--	--
19.....	1,830	--	--	2,430	--	--	2,300	--	--
20.....	1,860	--	--	2,430	--	--	2,300	--	--
21.....	1,900	--	--	2,300	--	--	2,500	--	--
22.....	1,910	--	--	2,280	--	--	2,400	--	--
23.....	1,910	--	--	2,160	--	--	2,300	--	--
24.....	1,950	--	--	1,620	--	--	2,200	--	--
25.....	1,980	--	--	1,450	--	--	2,100	--	--
26.....	1,980	--	--	1,250	--	--	1,900	--	--
27.....	2,000	--	--	1,050	--	--	1,800	--	--
28.....	2,000	--	--	950	--	--	1,700	--	--
29.....	2,000	--	--	1,050	251	712	1,600	--	--
30.....	2,000	--	--	1,200	--	b 710	1,500	--	--
31.....	1,990	--	--	--	--	--	1,520	--	--
Total.	59,170	--	c 46,000	58,060	--	c 50,000	60,470	--	c 24,000

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

c Includes loads for missing days computed from water-sediment discharge curves.

Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 24-Mar. 14.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR OURAY, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	January		February		March	
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment
		Mean concentration (ppm)		Mean concentration (ppm)		Mean concentration (ppm)
Day	Mean discharge (cfs)	Tons per day	Mean discharge (cfs)	Tons per day	Mean discharge (cfs)	Tons per day
1.....	1,550	--	2,450	--	2,600	
2.....	1,600	--	2,500	--	2,660	
3.....	1,700	--	2,560	161	2,750	
4.....	1,800	--	2,560	--	2,850	
5.....	1,900	--	2,550	--	2,900	
6.....	2,050	--	2,550	--	2,950	
7.....	2,150	--	2,600	--	3,020	
8.....	2,300	--	2,720	--	3,130	
9.....	2,500	124	2,700	161	3,300	920
10.....	2,520	--	2,650	--	3,600	a 8,200
						a 10,900
11.....	2,500	--	2,550	--	4,000	a 15,700
12.....	2,480	--	2,530	--	4,500	21,900
13.....	2,450	--	2,480	--	4,700	35,900
14.....	2,400	--	2,400	--	5,300	48,700
15.....	2,350	--	2,600	--	4,800	40,200
16.....	2,240	124	750	2,750	124	1,800
17.....	2,220	--	2,700	--	4,230	a 20,800
18.....	2,230	--	2,600	--	4,050	a 15,300
19.....	2,300	--	2,550	--	3,840	1,270
20.....	2,350	--	2,480	--	3,750	a 12,400
						11,200
21.....	2,380	--	2,300	--	3,540	1,080
22.....	2,340	--	2,080	--	3,450	1,100
23.....	2,350	--	1,950	--	3,260	940
24.....	2,400	--	2,050	--	3,050	a 6,510
25.....	2,400	--	2,180	124	3,080	a 6,650
26.....	2,430	98	643	2,250	--	710
27.....	2,420	--	2,360	--	3,000	a 6,400
28.....	2,430	--	2,500	--	3,090	900
29.....	2,430	--	--	--	3,230	950
30.....	2,410	--	--	--	3,600	a 11,000
31.....	2,400	--	--	--	3,870	a 14,000
Total.	69,980	--	c22,000	69,150	--	c 24,000
						108,610
						--
						361,760
	April		May		June	
1.....	4,070	1,400	a 15,000	8,370	2,180	49,300
2.....	4,270	1,500	a 17,000	8,740	2,110	49,800
3.....	4,410	1,600	a 19,000	8,160	1,970	43,400
4.....	4,360	1,560	18,400	7,150	1,940	37,500
5.....	4,120	1,440	16,000	6,440	1,470	25,600
6.....	3,980	1,270	a 13,600	5,720	1,420	21,900
7.....	3,850	950	a 8,880	5,180	1,190	a 18,600
8.....	3,690	730	a 7,270	4,770	780	10,000
9.....	3,690	700	a 6,970	4,560	850	10,500
10.....	3,690	700	a 6,970	4,840	890	11,600
11.....	3,670	730	7,230	5,900	1,040	16,600
12.....	3,620	679	6,640	6,740	1,050	19,100
13.....	3,420	600	a 5,540	6,960	960	18,000
14.....	3,180	600	a 5,150	6,390	900	a 15,500
15.....	3,030	610	a 4,990	5,810	880	13,800
16.....	2,920	610	4,810	5,450	1,330	18,600
17.....	2,780	690	a 5,180	5,300	1,340	18,200
18.....	2,800	720	5,440	5,160	1,100	15,300
19.....	2,830	690	5,270	5,510	970	14,400
20.....	2,830	700	5,350	5,940	1,340	a 21,500
21.....	2,800	690	5,220	6,390	1,500	a 25,900
22.....	2,760	700	5,220	7,450	1,750	35,200
23.....	2,950	740	a 5,890	10,400	3,130	s 91,600
24.....	3,090	810	6,760	11,500	4,430	138,000
25.....	3,500	1,800	17,000	11,100	3,250	97,400
26.....	4,730	2,000	25,500	11,600	2,820	88,300
27.....	5,840	2,000	30,500	11,800	2,700	86,000
28.....	6,230	2,100	a 35,000	12,600	3,000	102,000
29.....	7,150	2,450	47,300	14,200	3,480	133,000
30.....	7,820	2,300	a 49,000	15,400	3,720	155,000
31.....	--	--	--	16,900	3,700	169,000
Total.	117,880	--	413,080	252,430	--	1,570,600
						597,200
						--
						3,753,300

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

c Includes loads for missing days computed from water-sediment discharge curves.

Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 24-Mar. 14.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR OURAY, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	July		August		September	
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment
1.....	11,300	920	a 28,100	4,190	6,870	s 82,400
2.....	10,200	850	a 23,400	4,410	8,120	a 96,700
3.....	9,140	776	19,200	4,000	6,750	72,900
4.....	8,370	626	14,100	4,090	4,380	48,400
5.....	7,780	622	13,100	4,090	3,070	33,900
6.....	7,400	566	11,300	4,600	2,130	26,500
7.....	7,150	500	9,650	4,580	1,700	21,000
8.....	7,030	446	8,470	4,710	1,750	a 22,300
9.....	6,690	460	8,310	4,660	2,050	25,800
10.....	6,370	430	a 7,400	4,410	2,250	26,800
11.....	6,140	430	a 7,100	4,050	1,970	21,500
12.....	5,900	390	a 6,200	4,270	2,700	a 31,100
13.....	5,900	900	14,300	3,500	5,950	56,200
14.....	5,700	600	9,230	3,300	2,500	22,300
15.....	5,680	530	8,130	3,160	2,050	17,500
16.....	5,740	580	8,990	3,050	1,190	9,800
17.....	5,400	531	7,740	2,940	890	7,060
18.....	5,060	552	7,540	2,840	680	5,210
19.....	4,960	541	7,250	2,710	547	4,000
20.....	4,980	610	8,200	2,590	510	a 3,570
21.....	5,180	567	7,930	2,500	464	3,130
22.....	4,710	390	4,960	2,470	462	3,080
23.....	4,450	430	a 5,200	2,380	463	2,990
24.....	4,200	390	4,420	2,370	540	a 3,460
25.....	3,820	359	3,700	2,310	820	5,110
Total.	178,280	--	290,060	100,720	--	673,590
					41,600	--
						27,560

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 1,713,550

Total load for year (tons) ..... 7,255,950

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN - Continued

## GREEN RIVER BASIN - Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR OURAY, UTAH - Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis			
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.350	0.500	1.000
Mar. 12, 1953	1:25 p.m.	a, 4,500	34	1,870	4,850	--	--	36	--	47	--	69	84	95	100	SPWCM
Mar. 28	1:00 p.m.	53	770	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	61	70	84	98	100	S
Apr. 11	10:30 a.m.	3,110	680	681	--	--	--	--	--	54	71	78	98	100	S	
Apr. 24	1:35 p.m.	3,660	41	1,690	1,679	36	43	48	51	54	71	88	99	100	SBWCM	
May 8	1:30 p.m.	4,790	58	668	668	--	--	--	--	--	74	93	100	--	S	
May 20	1:30 p.m.	14,400	60	3,400	4,900	30	46	60	73	88	97	100	SPWCM	SPWCM		
June 5	1:00 p.m.	11,500	59	2,320	4,100	--	--	23	--	34	--	66	89	98	100	SPWCM
June 12	12:30 p.m.	18,000	--	2,350	3,630	--	--	31	--	47	--	73	90	98	100	SPWCM
July 3	11:00 a.m.	9,140	71	722	--	--	--	--	--	--	56	88	100	--	V	
July 13	1:00 p.m.	6,010	83	1,230	2,020	29	36	45	55	68	77	93	100	--	SBWCM	
July 31	3:00 p.m.	6,010	83	1,230	1,720	5	12	36	58	68	81	94	100	--	SBN	
		3,060	--	2,980	3,880	--	--	58	--	88	--	95	100	--	VPWCM	
Aug. 6	11:30 a.m.	4,600	--	1,950	3,010	--	--	57	--	78	--	90	96	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 21	1:10 p.m.	2,480	73	398	--	--	--	--	--	--	71	89	97	100	--	S
Sept. 5	2:25 p.m.	1,680	71	218	1,280	--	--	47	--	--	85	96	100	--	VPWCM	
Sept. 25	12:30 p.m.	a, 1,100	68	133	--	--	--	--	--	--	79	92	99	100	S	

a Mean daily discharge.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN

GREEN RIVER BASIN  
WILLOW CREEK NEAR OURAY, UTAH

LOCATION.—At gauging station 8 miles upstream from mouth and 10 miles south of Ouray, Uintah County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—967 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES—1952-53.—Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 6,370 micromhos Aug. 11; minimum daily, 1,080 micromhos July 31. March. 1952 observed, freezing point on many days during November to March.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 89°F June 8; minimum observed, 39°F June 8; maximum daily, 8,770 micromhos July 8, 1952. EXTREMES—1950-53.—Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 89°F July 14, 1951; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 89°F June 8, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months. REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron ( $\text{B}$ )	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH		
															Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day					
Oct. 1-10, 1952	26.1	--	17	69	79	--	181	385	14	496	24	--	--	--	--	1.1	1,070	1.46	80.3	497	158	44
Oct. 11-31, 1952	27.8	--	28.4	76	79	--	167	433	--	468	24	--	--	--	--	2.1	1,050	1.43	80.5	514	160	41
Nov. 1-20, 1952	23.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.2	1,520	8.1
Nov. 21-28, 1952	23.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,170	--	--
Nov. 29-Dec. 14, 1952	23.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,470	--	--
Dec. 1-10, 1952	21.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,770	--	--
Dec. 11-20, 1952	21.0	--	--	92	73	--	187	492	--	523	24	--	2.5	--	--	1,160	1.58	65.8	532	129	43	3.5
Dec. 21-31, 1952	21.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,230	530	8.0
Jan. 1-10, 1953	20.0	--	--	94	84	--	229	497	--	598	30	--	2.8	1.2	1,300	1.77	70.2	--	580	172	46	4.1
Jan. 11-20, 1953	20.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,750	8.0	--
Jan. 21-31, 1953	20.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,620	--	--
Feb. 1-10, 1953	23.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,530	--	--
Feb. 11-20, 1953	23.0	--	19	92	79	--	218	483	--	561	28	--	2.9	--	--	1,240	1.69	77.0	558	162	46	4.0
Feb. 21-28, 1953	24.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,720	--	--
Mar. 1-10, 1953	29.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,740	--	--
Mar. 11-20, 1953	38.1	--	18	81	66	--	167	414	--	463	24	--	2.6	--	--	1,020	1.39	105	469	130	44	3.3
Mar. 21-31, 1953	43.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,460	--	--
Apr. 1-10, 1953	43.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,390	--	--
Apr. 11-20, 1953	44.8	--	19	77	67	--	168	412	--	476	22	--	2.0	--	--	1,030	1.40	125	470	132	44	3.4
Apr. 21-30, 1953	36.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,440	8.1	--
May 1-13, 1953	39.3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,590	--	--
May 14-21, 1953	7.9	18	106	141	485	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,420	3.29	56
May 22-31, 1953	3.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,150	--	--

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WILLOW CREEK NEAR OURAY, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	So- dium (Na)	Po- tas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Car- bo- nate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non- carbon- ate	Per- cent so- dium	So- dium ad- sorption ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	pH	
															Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day							
June 1-10, 1953	4.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	640	--	1,080	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3,620	--	
June 11-20	5.6	--	120	204	858	706	2,150	95	2,650	120	0.9	--	3,790	5.15	26.6	1,140	581	62	11	3,330	8.0			
June 12-20	2.6	16	121	242	1,000	762	2,650	120	0.4	--	4,520	6.15	24.4	1,300	675	63	12	4,680	8.2	11	5,510	8.1		
June 21-30	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5,150	7.00	13.9	1,430	828	64	14	6,130	8.2	12	5,520	8.4	
July 1-10	1.0	13	111	280	1,180	734	--	3,060	140	.6	--	4,480	6.09	12.1	1,260	686	63	12	5,520	8.4	12	5,520	8.4	
July 11-20	1.0	19	109	240	1,000	646	27	2,660	109	.9	12	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6,000	--	
July 21-30	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
July 31, Aug. 1-3	55.0	33	86	45	126	390	20	268	12	.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Aug. 4-10	2.1	--	--	146	110	624	--	43	2,830	116	--	--	4,810	6.54	5.19	1,350	766	64	13	--	--	3,730	--	
Aug. 11-15	.4	18	19	76	144	634	39	1,250	58	.3	--	2,460	3.35	3.32	1,195	780	61	8.8	5,750	8.5	8.8	3,180	8.6	
Aug. 16-20	.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4,740	--	
Aug. 21-22	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3,350	--	
Aug. 23-31	2.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3,120	--	
Sept. 1-10	2.3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,880	8.3	
Sept. 11-20	3.3	--	18	70	125	495	--	565	21	1,100	51	1.0	--	2,160	2.94	19.2	690	192	61	8.2	--	4,530	--	
Sept. 21-30	.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Weighted average..	18.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,660	--

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WILLOW CREEK NEAR OURAY, UTAH--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	62	41	32	32	--	32	--	48	76	74	64	73
2	61	43	32	32	32	32	--	49	71	78	74	72
3	59	41	32	32	32	32	--	57	72	72	74	73
4	61	39	32	32	32	34	--	66	67	74	75	76
5	63	37	32	32	32	33	--	65	59	83	75	77
6	63	34	32	32	32	33	--	66	67	80	77	70
7	61	38	32	32	32	33	--	63	66	87	76	66
8	60	43	32	32	32	33	42	63	65	89	74	67
9	59	34	32	32	32	33	46	52	72	73	77	56
10	59	32	32	32	32	33	46	56	76	72	73	65
11	59	32	32	32	32	33	43	59	73	82	75	69
12	53	35	32	32	32	--	44	59	83	87	75	65
13	46	39	32	32	32	--	53	57	76	82	75	59
14	52	37	32	32	32	37	56	61	77	84	72	62
15	49	36	32	32	32	35	56	63	81	83	73	71
16	45	34	32	32	32	47	57	53	85	81	75	74
17	43	40	32	--	32	45	55	51	84	74	74	73
18	44	34	32	--	32	44	--	50	83	82	75	74
19	43	33	32	--	32	44	59	50	77	80	75	73
20	44	33	32	32	32	39	61	53	83	81	75	73
21	--	34	32	32	32	44	65	52	80	82	68	66
22	43	33	32	32	32	44	67	57	80	84	68	65
23	44	33	32	32	32	42	54	59	72	82	--	71
24	41	32	32	--	32	39	55	68	--	79	68	61
25	40	32	32	32	32	45	54	74	71	87	69	53
Aver-	age	50	35	32	32	32	--	60	75	80	73	67

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

 GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued  
 PRICE RIVER AT WOODSIDE, UTAH

LOCATION.--At bridge on U. S. Highway 50 at Woodside, Emery County, and 20 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.--1,500 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: December 1946 to September 1949, February 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: February 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMS, 1952-53.--Dissolved Solids: Maximum, 5,260 ppm Nov. 22-30; minimum, 1,790 ppm Aug. 29-31.

Hardness: Maximum, 2,050 ppm Nov. 22-30; minimum, 796 ppm Aug. 29-31.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 6,620 micromhos Nov. 28; minimum daily, 2,060 micromhos Aug. 30.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed: July 12; minimum daily, 2,060 micromhos Aug. 29, Feb. 19.

EXTREMS, 1951-53.--Dissolved Solids: Maximum, 8,290 ppm Dec. 11, 1951; minimum, 592 ppm May 21-30, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 3,010 ppm Dec. 11, 1951; minimum, 335 ppm June 1-3, 6-10, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 8,510 ppm Dec. 11, 1951; minimum, 2,510 ppm July 30, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 89°F July 30, 1952; minimum observed, 81°F July 1, 1952.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)										Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Percent calcium, non-magnesium	Percent sodium, non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH	
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Pota-sium (K)	Bicar-bonate (HC <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Ni-trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor-on (B)				
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	67.7	5.7	0.4	188	589	7.1	278	2,070	70	0.3	6.4	0.23	6.9	1,240	4.43	632	
Oct. 11-20 .....	79.6	6.6	0.4	188	510	7.2	266	1,920	64	.3	6.9	0.23	3,020	4.11	696	48	
Oct. 21-31 .....	79.2	8.1	.39	230	677	8.1	340	2,460	76	.3	6.3	0.23	3,660	5.25	1,220	48	
Nov. 1-10 .....	77.5	5.8	.06	188	228	7.6	326	2,500	80	.3	8.8	0.28	3,890	5.28	973	52	
Nov. 11-21 .....	73.4	7.2	.05	232	259	7.2	352	709	90	.3	10	0.28	4,250	5.78	922	50	
Nov. 22-30 .....	61.0	9.2	.06	310	914	8.3	452	3,360	112	.3	11	--	5,260	7.15	937	49	
Dec. 1-10 .....	60.0	12	.07	273	264	9.7	425	2,720	98	.1	15	.33	4,300	5.85	770	46	
Dec. 11-20 .....	60.0	11	.07	229	202	516	8.0	408	2,020	.76	.1	11	--	3,270	4.45	1,400	44
Dec. 21-31 .....	57.8	11	.06	254	244	667	8.7	425	2,500	.95	.1	14	--	4,000	5.44	679	47
Jan. 1-10, 1953 .....	56.0	11	.08	256	243	611	8.8	432	2,390	.91	.2	14	--	3,860	5.25	637	45
Jan. 11-20 .....	56.0	11	.07	231	207	556	7.6	408	2,080	.82	.3	11	.28	3,400	4.62	565	46
Jan. 21-31 .....	56.0	11	.05	232	233	553	7.6	373	2,080	.74	.1	11	--	3,340	4.54	541	46
Feb. 1-10 .....	60.0	10	.06	230	238	747	7.7	381	2,610	.83	.1	11	--	4,120	5.60	705	51
Feb. 11-18 .....	60.0	11	.08	246	252	777	8.0	385	2,710	.93	.1	11	.31	4,300	5.85	1,650	50
Feb. 20-28 .....	70.0	9.6	.07	253	586	8.2	397	2,510	90	.0	11	--	4,010	5.45	1,270	48	
Mar. 1-10 .....	82.8	8.3	.07	232	218	698	9.0	395	2,470	.76	.1	11	--	3,800	5.30	1,480	51
Mar. 11-20 .....	80.7	9.4	.04	210	219	592	7.2	334	2,100	.68	.3	7.7	.22	3,360	4.47	892	42
Mar. 21-31 .....	82.6	6.8	.05	200	202	572	7.2	326	2,130	.74	.5	7.0	.22	3,360	4.57	803	43
Apr. 1-10 .....	91.0	8.7	.05	182	203	588	7.2	356	2,070	.72	.5	7.0	--	3,310	4.50	860	50
Apr. 11-20 .....	65.9	8.7	.05	181	192	536	9.4	334	1,930	.74	.0	6.2	.27	3,100	4.22	589	48
Apr. 21-30 .....	52.5	10	.05	214	227	700	10	326	2,480	.88	.3	5.8	--	3,900	5.30	588	51

May 1-10, 1953 ..	77.2	11	.06	175	160	450	513	176	560	322	1,700	58	.2	6.9	--	2,730	3.71	592	1,090	830	47	6.9	3,380	7.8	20
May 11-20, .....	65.8	9.6	.06	194	186	500	179	500	560	316	1,920	68	.3	5.4	.22	3,050	4.15	565	1,210	954	48	6.4	3,710	7.9	20
May 21-31, .....	82.6	9.5	.06	186	179	500	12	316	1,920	68	.3	5.6	--	3,010	4.09	705	1,200	941	47	6.3	3,640	8.1	20		
June 1-10 .....	82.1	12	.11	192	179	560	10	316	2,020	60	.3	5.3	--	3,130	4.26	822	1,220	956	49	6.9	3,760	7.9	25		
June 11-20 .....	88.1	10	.23	194	187	533	11	310	2,020	60	.3	5.3	.30	3,190	4.34	824	1,250	999	49	6.8	3,860	7.8	25		
June 21-30 .....	76.2	9.2	.11	180	170	500	9.1	236	1,820	60	.4	4.1	--	2,980	3.93	636	1,150	914	48	6.4	3,530	7.8	23		
July 1-10 .....	69.7	13	.09	200	172	479	8.6	236	1,860	61	.6	5.0	--	2,930	3.98	682	1,210	988	46	6.0	3,650	7.7	20		
July 11-18 .....	146	15	.09	254	170	506	11	310	2,050	64	.3	4.5	.33	3,230	4.39	1,360	1,330	1,080	45	6.0	3,810	7.6	20		
July 19-20, .....	150	17	.09	206	96	291	3.9	290	1,170	38	.6	.2	--	1,970	2.68	822	908	671	41	4.2	2,450	8.0	20		
July 21-31, .....	87.5	12	.09	246	181	538	11	256	2,150	69	.4	5.0	--	3,330	4.53	846	1,360	1,150	46	6.2	3,970	7.6	20		
Aug. 1-10 .....	201	14	.09	272	144	424	12	260	1,860	58	.6	2.7	--	2,930	3.98	169	1,270	1,040	42	5.2	3,500	7.8	20		
Aug. 11-20 .....	76.3	11	.09	212	156	462	9.5	276	1,810	58	.6	2.3	.33	2,980	3.92	618	1,170	944	47	6.1	3,460	7.9	30		
Aug. 21-28 .....	174	9.3	.10	220	159	500	9.9	270	1,910	59	.5	3.2	--	3,000	4.08	1,480	1,200	982	47	6.3	3,610	7.7	30		
Aug. 29-31 .....	428	14	.11	182	83	256	8.7	234	1,100	33	.7	1.3	--	1,790	2.43	2,170	796	604	41	3.9	2,300	7.4	20		
Sept. 1-10 .....	62.8	7.9	.06	218	205	551	9.4	272	2,140	68	.5	6.2	--	3,340	4.54	607	1,390	1,180	46	6.4	4,020	7.5	25		
Sept. 11-20 .....	50.1	5.7	.05	206	194	633	8.9	232	2,280	70	.4	5.7	.31	3,510	4.77	507	1,310	1,100	51	7.6	4,170	7.4	25		
Sept. 21-30 .....	52.2	5.6	.06	206	199	583	7.5	278	2,180	72	.4	5.4	--	3,400	4.62	510	1,330	1,100	49	7.0	4,060	7.6	25		
Weighted average	81.3	10	0.09	219	192	558	9.1	322	2,100	70	0.3	6.8	--	3,330	4.53	731	1,340	1,070	47	6.6	3,970	--	--		

COLORADO RIVER BASIN

**GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued**

PRICE RIVER AT WOODSIDE, UTAH--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1968 to September 1969											
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	76	60	34	33	35	33	57	51	67	73	--	71
2	70	58	33	33	35	33	54	50	68	80	78	73
3	65	57	33	33	35	34	54	51	65	78	79	72
4	63	55	33	33	36	35	57	52	67	80	79	73
5	63	48	33	33	35	40	55	54	67	77	79	73
6	62	--	33	33	36	44	53	--	68	--	80	74
7	60	52	34	33	35	49	50	50	--	81	81	72
8	59	55	33	33	35	42	46	54	67	83	79	73
9	60	52	33	33	34	44	45	57	--	80	75	72
10	61	50	33	33	34	45	44	55	68	75	79	71
11	61	49	33	33	36	46	47	56	--	78	78	71
12	63	48	33	33	34	--	42	55	81	84	--	72
13	61	38	33	33	35	45	--	60	82	83	78	74
14	62	37	33	33	34	44	--	60	74	82	79	72
15	59	37	33	33	35	44	59	63	76	83	78	74
16	58	38	33	--	35	45	57	61	76	77	--	71
17	59	37	33	33	33	46	56	60	75	76	80	71
18	68	39	33	33	33	46	60	62	76	78	79	72
19	68	37	33	33	32	47	60	58	78	77	77	71
20	69	37	33	33	33	45	61	59	79	78	79	70
21	61	36	34	33	33	44	61	61	79	--	76	70
22	60	34	33	33	33	43	61	62	78	79	77	69
23	62	36	33	33	37	45	58	--	80	78	75	71
24	--	35	33	33	34	46	59	61	77	78	76	70
25	--	33	33	33	--	--	59	60	74	83	79	70
26	--	35	33	33	35	45	60	62	73	81	78	67
27	57	33	33	33	35	46	61	62	75	83	70	66
28	54	33	33	--	35	46	61	63	76	83	76	61
29	52	33	33	33	--	46	60	65	76	82	69	60
30	53	33	33	31	--	49	58	65	73	79	70	70
31	59	--	33	34	--	52	--	67	--	--	71	--
Average	62	49	33	33	35	44	56	58	74	80	77	71

LOCATION.—At gaging station, 1 mile southeast of the town of Green River, Emery County, 22 miles upstream from San Rafael River, and 117 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—40,600 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: August 1928 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: May 1949 to September 1953.

Sediment records: May 1930 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 902 ppm Nov. 1-30; minimum, 248 ppm June 21-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 444 ppm Dec. 1-31; minimum, 164 ppm June 21-30.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,460 micromhos June 3; minimum daily, 333 micromhos June 23.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 82°F July 20; minimum observed, freezing point on several days from November to January.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 16,800 ppm Aug. 1; minimum daily, 42 ppm Sept. 29-30.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily 294,000 tons June 17; minimum daily 159 tons Sept. 29-30.

EXTREMES, 1928-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,010 ppm Sept. 29, 1943; minimum, 194 ppm June 21-30, 1933.

Hardness: Maximum, 488 ppm Dec. 21-31, 1932; minimum, 242 ppm Sept. 29, 1943.

Specific conductance (1941-53): Maximum daily, 2,420 micromhos Sept. 29, 1943; minimum daily, 321 micromhos May 30, 1948. Water temperatures (1949-53): Maximum observed, 82°F July 31, Aug. 5-6, 1949; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations (1930-53): Maximum daily, 63,600 ppm July 11, 1936; minimum daily, 34 ppm Sept. 27, 1951.

Sediment loads (1930-53): Maximum daily, 2,200,000 tons July 11, 1936; minimum daily, less than 100 tons on several days.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of water samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Per-Calcium, Non-carbonate	Per-magnesium, Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH			
											Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-day								
Oct. 1-10, 1952 . . .	2,112	9.2		74	41	107	4.4	220	330	46	1.6	.15	.750	1.02	4,280	353	172	38	2.5	1,100	7.9
Oct. 11-31 . . . . .	2,089	9.1		81	45	120	5.2	238	373	50	1.4	0.15	.831	1.13	4,690	387	192	40	2.7	1,210	
Nov. 1-30 . . . . .	2,059	11		88	49	126	3.8	256	401	52	2.3	--	.902	1.23	5,010	421	211	39	2.7	1,280	
Dec. 1-31 . . . . .	2,096	13		94	51	120	4.2	281	375	53	2.7	--	.884	1.20	5,000	444	214	37	2.5	1,260	
Jan. 1-31, 1953 . . .	2,272	13		86	44	102	2.9	261	321	45	3.0	.27	.770	1.05	4,720	396	182	36	2.2	1,110	
Feb. 1-28 . . . . .	2,542	12		82	46	107	3.0	252	333	45	2.8	--	.768	1.04	5,270	394	187	37	2.3	1,110	
Mar. 1-10 . . . . .	2,647	13		83	43	108	4.2	254	335	41	1.8	--	.763	1.04	5,810	364	176	38	2.4	1,140	
Mar. 11-20 . . . . .	4,450	12		79	37	100	3.4	234	303	42	2.4	--	.705	.96	8,470	349	158	38	2.3	1,050	
Mar. 21-31 . . . . .	3,302	11		77	39	111	3.6	231	321	48	2.1	--	.744	1.01	6,630	352	163	40	2.6	1,100	
Apr. 1-10 . . . . .	4,084	13		78	39	107	3.6	236	324	44	2.3	--	.737	1.00	8,130	395	162	39	2.5	1,080	
Apr. 11-20 . . . . .	3,408	12		74	36	90	4.5	226	285	39	1.9	.23	.663	1.01	6,150	332	148	37	2.2	994	
Apr. 21-30 . . . . .	3,645	12		77	41	92	3.0	234	297	43	2.5	--	.686	.95	7,860	360	169	36	2.1	1,010	
May 1-10 . . . . .	6,022	12		62	25	53	2.8	205	159	22	2.3	--	.452	.61	7,960	268	80	31	1.4	679	
May 11-20 . . . . .	5,457	12		59	24	53	3.0	192	159	23	2.2	--	.442	.60	6,510	246	88	32	1.5	669	
May 21-31 . . . . .	11,580	12		--	--	--	2.4	172	109	13	2.4	--	.340	.46	10,630	--	--	--	--	--	

GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

GREEN RIVER AT GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cts)							Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)							Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>							
	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Copper (Cu)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per million foot	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per million foot	Percent calcium, non-carbonate magnesium, sodium adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Color or pH			
June 1-10, 1853 . . .	16,180	13	54	14	27	2.4	190	73	12	1.9	--	300	0.41	13,110	192	36	23	0.8	472			
June 11-20 . . . . .	22,370	12	47	13	25	2.3	164	68	11	2.1	--	268	.36	16,180	171	36	24	.8	449			
June 21-30 . . . . .	20,280	11	46	12	21	2.9	163	58	8.8	2.0	--	248	.34	13,580	164	31	21	.7	391			
July 1-10 . . . . .	8,581	11	48	15	33	3.2	156	96	18	1.3	--	302	.41	7,090	182	54	28	1.1	475			
July 11-20 . . . . .	5,688	11	57	19	45	3.5	186	136	20	1.5	0.10	385	.52	6,100	220	68	30	1.3	603			
July 21-31 . . . . .	4,113	11	55	22	55	3.5	181	155	23	1.0	--	414	.56	4,600	238	79	34	1.6	648			
Aug. 1-10 . . . . .	4,332	16	81	34	86	5.5	226	288	31	2.8	--	670	.91	7,840	342	157	35	2.0	973			
Aug. 11-20 . . . . .	3,527	13	82	29	70	5.8	230	30	2.0	2.0	--	582	.78	5,540	324	135	31	1.7	879			
Aug. 21-31 . . . . .	2,555	11	68	31	83	3.2	204	249	34	1.5	--	500	.80	4,010	297	130	37	2.1	856			
Sep. 1-10 . . . . .	1,778	12	80	36	91	4.2	224	288	43	1.0	--	687	.93	3,300	348	164	36	2.1	1,000			
Sep. 11-20 . . . . .	1,423	9	72	38	41	206	237	42	1.0	--	724	1.00	2,820	422	42	42	1.0	1,040				
Sep. 21-30 . . . . .	1,202	8.6	76	40	118	4.1	210	348	52	.8	--	762	1.04	2,470	354	182	42	2.7	1,110			
Weighted average	4,688	12			64	27	62	3.2	202	188	26	2.1	--	496	0.67	5,280	270	105	33	1.6	740	--

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER AT GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	87	55	--	33	36	39	52	55	62	--	76	71	
2	87	56	--	33	37	38	53	--	60	71	74	70	
3	65	50	35	33	--	--	54	57	63	71	74	--	
4	87	50	--	33	38	39	52	58	61	74	75	--	
5	68	54	--	33	38	37	55	54	60	76	74	71	
6	88	50	--	32	39	41	41	52	62	73	74	70	
7	66	51	32	--	37	--	51	--	63	74	--	69	
8	63	51	31	--	37	41	47	59	64	79	--	69	
9	65	50	31	34	37	43	46	57	65	80	76	68	
10	87	43	32	35	36	42	45	51	67	76	76	73	
11	--	--	31	34	33	45	46	51	--	--	72	68	
12	85	--	33	33	34	--	45	58	60	80	75	73	
13	80	43	34	33	33	42	48	60	60	80	74	73	
14	59	43	34	33	33	40	51	61	72	80	--	61	
15	61	40	34	--	34	38	53	57	--	81	70	62	
16	57	40	33	34	34	40	51	58	70	80	74	68	
17	--	40	33	34	35	--	50	61	70	75	71	72	
18	--	40	33	35	35	46	53	65	69	--	74	71	
19	54	39	33	34	34	--	56	59	69	--	75	66	
20	54	39	33	34	34	--	49	--	68	82	76	72	
21	52	39	32	34	--	--	59	59	--	75	72	70	
22	51	38	33	35	34	--	68	62	70	79	74	66	
23	51	32	34	35	35	45	--	62	71	80	74	66	
24	53	34	34	34	37	49	59	59	70	76	73	64	
25	53	--	33	34	37	49	--	--	71	78	72	63	
26	53	34	--	36	38	50	--	58	72	80	70	--	
27	--	33	33	35	36	50	61	61	--	79	--	67	
28	50	--	33	35	39	52	60	61	70	--	--	64	
29	52	--	31	36	--	52	--	61	70	81	68	--	
30	51	31	31	35	--	53	57	62	71	78	71	63	
31	50	--	--	35	--	53	--	63	--	75	70	--	
Average		59	43	33	34	36	--	52	59	67	77	73	68

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER AT GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	2,240	77	466	2,220			1,300		
2.....	2,220	90	539	2,220	43	257	1,350		
3.....	2,180			2,200			1,450		
4.....	2,140			2,200			1,550		
5.....	2,120			2,180			1,600		
6.....	2,080	95	534	2,180			1,650	113	519
7.....	2,080			2,180			1,750		
8.....	2,060			2,200			1,850		
9.....	2,020			2,220			1,950		
10....	2,000			2,220	42	251	2,050		
11....	2,020			2,260			2,200		
12....	2,020			2,240			2,250		
13....	2,000			2,240			2,380		
14....	1,980			2,240			2,480		
15....	1,980			2,260			2,550		
16....	1,980			2,240			2,620		
17....	1,980			2,300			2,650		
18....	2,020			2,300	175	1,100	2,550		
19....	2,000			2,330			2,370		
20....	2,020			2,370			2,400		
21....	2,040			2,450			2,500		
22....	2,120			2,410			2,630		
23....	2,140	65	374	2,280			2,520		
24....	2,160			2,140			2,450		
25....	2,180			1,800			2,320		
26....	2,200			1,650	96	393	2,200		
27....	2,200			1,200			2,070		
28....	2,220			1,000			2,000		
29....	2,220	48	286	1,000			1,900		
30....	2,200			1,050			1,800	90	447
31....	2,200		--	--			1,650		
Total.	64,980	--	12,716	61,780	--	15,482	64,990	--	22,833
	January			February			March		
1.....	1,600			2,540			2,450		
2.....	1,570			2,610			2,540		
3.....	1,600			2,650			2,610		
4.....	1,700			2,650			2,720		
5.....	1,850	77	392	2,630	113	808	2,860	218	1,620
6.....	1,900			2,650			2,880		
7.....	1,950			2,680			2,930		
8.....	2,050			2,770			3,000		
9.....	2,250			2,810			3,100	371	3,110
10....	2,400			2,720			3,380	450	4,110
11....	2,450			2,700			3,830	575	5,950
12....	2,550			2,660			4,380	950	11,200
13....	2,500			2,620	132	939	4,470	1,180	14,200
14....	2,500			2,530			5,130	1,500	20,800
15....	2,500	129	848	2,430			5,550	1,990	29,800
16....	2,400			2,610			4,940	1,680	22,400
17....	2,350			2,630			4,410	1,440	17,100
18....	2,300			2,700			4,020	1,590	17,300
19....	2,350			2,700			3,970	1,500	a 16,000
20....	2,450			2,620			3,830	1,300	a 13,000
21....	2,420			2,560			3,700	1,200	a 12,000
22....	2,400			2,480			3,580	1,150	11,100
23....	2,410	108	715	2,240			3,500	905	8,550
24....	2,480			2,000			3,350	745	6,740
25....	2,500			2,010			3,250	650	5,700
26....	2,450			2,260	112	680	3,120	600	5,050
27....	2,500			2,350			3,120	565	4,760
28....	2,480			2,370			3,050	516	4,250
29....	2,540	75	508	--			3,100	503	4,210
30....	2,520			--			3,200	486	4,200
31....	2,500			--			3,350	508	4,590
Total.	70,420	--	19,304	71,180	--	23,640	109,290	--	259,080

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER AT GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April		May		June				
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	3,650	560	5,520	7,030	2,300	43,700	17,200	4,440	206,000
2.....	3,910	700	7,390	7,640	2,500	a 52,000	4,150	187,000	
3.....	4,080	768	8,460	8,180	2,530	55,700	3,300	3,450	143,000
4.....	4,270	875	10,100	8,000	2,200	a 48,000	15,500	3,160	132,000
5.....	4,410	1,160	13,800	7,260	1,500	a 29,000	16,400	2,930	130,000
6.....	4,410	1,080	12,900	6,590	1,200	a 21,000	16,400	2,550	113,000
7.....	4,210	900	10,200	5,990	1,000	a 16,000	16,300	2,410	106,000
8.....	4,100	745	8,250	5,320	870	12,500	16,400	2,440	108,000
9.....	3,940	745	7,930	4,760	740	9,510	16,100	2,540	110,000
10.....	3,860	710	7,400	4,470	580	7,000	15,500	2,400	100,000
11.....	3,830	530	5,480	4,410	350	4,170	15,400	2,300	a 96,000
12.....	3,830	350	3,620	4,910	550	7,290	15,800	2,400	102,000
13.....	3,810	390	4,010	5,890	657	10,400	17,400	3,100	146,000
14.....	3,700	510	5,090	6,480	740	12,900	20,300	4,170	229,000
15.....	3,520	474	4,500	6,270	667	11,300	22,600	4,500	a 270,000
16.....	3,350	475	4,300	5,720	610	9,420	24,500	4,390	290,000
17.....	3,180	410	3,520	5,320	500	7,180	26,600	4,100	294,000
18.....	3,050	360	2,960	4,970	431	5,780	27,800	3,600	270,000
19.....	2,930	396	3,130	4,880	320	4,220	27,100	3,370	247,000
20.....	2,880	300	2,330	4,880	510	6,720	26,200	3,100	219,000
21.....	2,910	274	2,150	5,220	440	6,200	25,600	3,300	228,000
22.....	2,860	280	2,160	5,650	600	9,150	25,500	3,140	216,000
23.....	2,810	304	2,310	6,340	736	12,600	24,800	1,880	126,000
24.....	2,770	290	2,170	8,580	955	22,100	23,000	1,860	116,000
25.....	2,910	368	2,890	11,000	1,300	a 39,000	21,600	1,440	84,000
26.....	3,000	400	a 3,200	10,500	1,660	47,100	20,200	1,310	71,400
27.....	3,400	400	3,700	10,600	3,120	89,300	18,300	1,700	a 84,000
28.....	4,440	650	7,790	11,100	2,810	84,200	16,200	1,990	87,000
29.....	5,190	1,100	a 15,000	11,800	2,650	84,400	14,400	1,870	72,700
30.....	6,160	1,700	28,300	13,600	3,810	140,000	13,200	1,770	63,100
31.....	--	--	--	15,500	4,350	182,000	--	--	--
Total.	111,370	--	200,560	228,840	--	1,089,840	588,300	--	4,646,200
	July		August		September				
1.....	12,200	1,560	51,400	4,440	19,800	s 254,000	2,080	1,440	8,090
2.....	11,100	1,480	44,400	4,240	12,200	s 145,000	2,040	1,080	5,550
3.....	9,930	1,240	33,200	5,100	3,520	48,500	1,920	810	a 4,200
4.....	8,970	1,070	25,900	4,410	2,850	33,900	1,840	481	2,390
5.....	8,200	775	17,200	4,130	10,100	113,000	1,740	272	1,280
6.....	7,680	595	12,300	3,940	6,010	63,900	1,690	284	1,300
7.....	7,280	500	9,800	4,020	2,100	a 23,000	1,670	318	1,430
8.....	6,920	422	7,880	4,270	990	a 11,000	1,630	288	1,270
9.....	6,850	432	7,990	4,330	800	9,350	1,610	139	604
10.....	6,700	510	9,230	4,440	1,360	16,300	1,560	115	484
11.....	6,450	550	a 9,600	4,560	1,190	14,700	1,520	122	501
12.....	6,130	476	7,880	4,050	880	9,620	1,510	110	448
13.....	5,980	550	8,850	4,080	731	8,050	1,490	105	422
14.....	5,850	930	14,700	3,910	710	a 7,500	1,470	123	488
15.....	5,850	670	10,600	3,420	3,550	32,800	1,460	112	442
16.....	5,680	610	9,350	3,300	8,850	78,900	1,410	93	354
17.....	5,890	870	13,800	3,180	3,850	33,100	1,380	74	276
18.....	6,060	1,440	23,600	3,050	1,520	12,500	1,340		
19.....	5,650	1,100	a 17,000	2,910	860	6,760	1,340		
20.....	5,160	670	9,330	2,810	670	5,080	1,310		
21.....	5,000	510	6,880	2,700	620	4,520	1,300		
22.....	5,100	575	7,920	2,560	750	5,180	1,280		
23.....	5,060	478	6,530	2,590	660	4,620	1,250		
24.....	4,640	245	3,070	2,630	1,310	9,300	1,240		
25.....	4,350	190	2,230	2,430	800	5,250	1,210		
26.....	4,020	660	7,180	2,430	800	5,250	1,180		
27.....	3,700	290	2,900	2,370	960	a 6,100	1,150		
28.....	3,520	220	a 2,100	2,300	1,000	a 6,200	1,140		
29.....	3,350	233	2,110	3,520	7,720	s 79,600	1,130	42	129
30.....	3,250	404	3,550	2,410	9,200	59,900	1,140		
31.....	3,250	750	6,580	2,180	4,160	24,300	--		
Total.	189,730	--	395,040	108,690	--	1,137,180	44,030	--	31,912

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 1,711,800

Total load for year (tons) ..... 7,853,787

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER AT GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1852 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed)

## Suspended sediment

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis		
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.500	1.000
Nov. 4, 1952	2:20 p.m.	2,180	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	86	94	98	100		S
Dec. 3	2:00 p.m.	a1,450	35	73	--	--	--	--	--	94	98	99	100		S
Jan. 13, 1953	3:00 p.m.	a2,500	33	176	--	--	--	--	--	90	93	99	100		S
Feb. 4	2:00 p.m.	2,650	38	94	--	--	--	--	--	87	95	99	100		S
Feb. 26	3:30 p.m.	2,300	38	129	2,580	--	57	--	86	--	98	99	100	--	SFWCM
Apr. 6	10:00 a.m.	4,440	49	1,180	3,600	--	67	--	91	--	97	98	100	--	SPWCM
May 1	11:20 a.m.	7,000	55	2,320	4,280	--	44	--	71	--	92	97	100	--	SPWCM
May 18	3:45 p.m.	4,340	65	463	3,590	--	54	--	76	--	91	94	99	100	SFWCM
May 18	3:45 p.m.	4,940	65	463	3,320	--	19	--	79	--	91	94	99	100	SPN
June 8	11:45 a.m.	16,400	64	2,350	3,800	--	24	--	40	57	74	88	98	100	SFWCM
June 16	11:40 a.m.	24,200	70	3,710	3,100	--	25	--	37	--	72	90	99	100	SFWCM
June 22	9:30 a.m.	25,500	70	2,960	2,220	--	18	--	30	44	62	81	98	100	SFWCM
June 26	11:45 a.m.	14,500	70	1,850	2,920	--	13	--	22	33	51	76	98	100	SFWCM
July 7 <sup>b</sup>	12:15 p.m.	7,260	79	501	2,170	--	18	--	30	41	51	72	98	100	SPWCM
July 23	2:00 p.m.	5,030	80	602	4,760	16	20	27	32	37	46	--	--	SPWCM	
Aug. 26	3:00 p.m.	2,450	70	770	3,200	55	70	86	91	96	98	100	--	SPWCM	
Aug. 28	8:45 a.m.	5,190	68	4,950	2,800	35	43	57	76	85	95	99	99	SPWCM	
Aug. 30	12:30 p.m.	2,370	71	4,980	48	67	81	96	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM	
Sept. 4	12:30 p.m.	1,840	70	3,040	2	8	39	93	98	99	99	100	--	SPN	

<sup>a</sup> Mean daily.<sup>b</sup> Sand sizes doubtful.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN RAFAEL RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, UTAH

LOCATION.—At gauging station 15 feet upstream from bridge on State Highway 24, 15 miles southwest of Green River, Emery County, and 35 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—1,680 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: November 1946 to September 1949, October 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: July to September 1949, October 1950 to September 1953.

Sediment records: March 1948 to September 1949, October 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 4,350 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 701 ppm June 11-20.

HARDNESS: Maximum, 1,750 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 404 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 5,490 micromhos May 25; minimum daily, 797 micromhos June 16.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 83° F. July 14, 1948; minimum observed, freezing point on many days from November to February.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 19,400 ppm Aug. 4, 1951; minimum daily, 31 ppm Sept. 12.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 14,000 tons Aug. 1; minimum daily, less than 0.5 ton Mar. 18.

EXTRACTIONS, 1948-49: 1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 5,010 ppm May 1-10, 1951; minimum, 541 ppm June 11-20, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 2,000 ppm May 1-10, 1951; minimum, 330 ppm June 11-20, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 6,120 micromhos May 13, 1951; minimum daily, 756 micromhos June 14, 1952.

Water temperature (1949, 1950-53): Maximum observed, 90° F. July 19, 1951; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations (1948-53): Maximum daily, 115,000 ppm Aug. 4, 1951; minimum daily, 0 ppm (no flow) Sept. 5 to Oct. 3, 1948.

Sediment loads (1948-53): Maximum daily, 786,000 tons Aug. 4, 1951; minimum daily, 0 tons Sept. 3 to Oct. 3, 1948.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calm- ium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per- cent non- carbon- ate	So- dium so- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or or	pH	
													Parts per mil- lion	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day	Tons per acres per mil- lion					
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	55.2	8.3	0.06	249	193	562	10	273	2,200	.57	0.4	2.7	--	3,420	4.65	510	1,190	46	6.5	4,040	7.7	10
Oct. 11-20 .....	56.4	7.5	.07	255	196	568	9.9	286	2,220	.61	.2	2.9	--	3,460	4.71	527	1,440	46	6.5	4,170	7.7	10
Oct. 21-31 .....	57.0	7.7	.08	262	198	593	9.9	309	2,340	.63	.2	3.5	--	3,630	4.94	539	1,470	46	6.7	4,210	7.7	15
Nov. 1-10 .....	55.5	6.8	.06	277	212	617	9.9	316	2,440	.65	.2	3.9	--	3,790	5.15	568	1,560	46	6.8	4,400	7.7	15
Nov. 11-20 .....	66.2	7.5	.17	283	212	600	9.3	351	2,380	.63	.2	5.1	0.30	3,710	5.05	663	1,580	46	6.6	4,430	7.7	15
Nov. 21-30 .....	55.9	13	.08	284	218	574	10	384	2,380	.68	.0	4.2	--	3,740	5.09	564	1,600	44	6.2	4,380	7.8	15
Dec. 1-10 .....	55.0	12	.07	294	215	574	10	432	2,370	.69	.0	4.8	--	3,760	5.11	568	1,620	43	6.2	4,340	7.8	15
Dec. 11-20 .....	80.0	10	.06	202	145	370	7.6	456	45	.2	4.3	.23	.23	2,450	3.33	529	1,100	42	4.9	3,000	7.8	13
Dec. 23-24, 26, 28-30	63.3	10	.17	222	163	414	7.6	368	1,720	.50	.2	3.8	--	2,770	3.77	473	1,220	42	5.1	3,320	7.9	13
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ..	74.0	10	.06	214	150	366	7.4	404	1,510	.46	.2	3.8	--	2,510	3.41	501	1,150	41	4.7	3,040	7.9	10
Jan. 12-13, 15, 16,	90.0	11	.07	201	141	326	6.4	354	1,340	.44	.0	2.9	.22	2,300	3.13	559	1,080	40	4.3	2,790	8.0	5
Jan. 20 .....	115	10	.05	186	126	308	6.0	335	1,260	.40	.1	4.4	--	2,110	2.87	655	982	40	4.3	2,660	8.0	10

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN RAFAEL RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or								
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter	Tons per day	Parts per milliliter	Non-magnesium	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent sodium carbonate	Specific sodium adsorption ratio	
Feb. 1-10, 1953...	130	9.4	0.05	106	1.39	359	6.5	341	1,430	44	0.0	3.8	--	2,360	3.21	828	1,060	781	42	4.8	2,910	7.8	8
Feb. 11-20, ...	111	10	.06	212	1.56	404	6.5	348	1,620	52	.1	3.3	--	2,640	3.59	791	1,170	886	43	5.1	3,200	8.0	8
Feb. 21-28, ...	116	8.4	.05	208	1.49	372	6.6	378	1,500	47	.1	3.0	--	2,480	3.37	777	1,130	822	42	4.8	3,010	8.0	5
Mar. 1-10, ...	130	10	.05	186	1.33	345	6.3	302	1,350	42	.1	3.2	--	2,260	3.07	793	1,010	764	42	4.7	2,810	7.9	10
Mar. 11-20, ...	80.9	9.1	.07	208	1.44	383	6.9	304	1,550	54	.3	2.7	--	2,510	3.41	548	1,110	862	43	5.0	3,100	7.9	10
Mar. 21-31, ...	69.9	9.6	.09	212	1.61	445	6.5	294	1,770	58	.2	3.2	--	2,810	3.82	530	1,190	950	45	5.7	3,470	8.0	8
Apr. 1-10, ...	79.4	8.3	.10	215	1.78	500	7.0	296	1,940	64	.1	2.7	--	3,060	4.16	656	1,270	1,030	46	6.1	3,780	7.9	12
Apr. 11-20, ...	53.2	7.9	.07	205	1.94	522	7.5	292	2,100	65	.3	2.4	--	3,230	4.47	473	1,380	1,120	45	6.1	4,220	7.9	9
Apr. 21-30, ...	38.3	6.7	.09	232	1.99	550	8.6	210	2,180	73	.2	1.5	--	3,410	6.64	533	1,420	1,180	45	6.3	4,060	7.9	10
May 1-10, ...	30.1	6.7	.13	234	9.1	623	9.1	315	2,400	74	.4	1.5	--	3,730	5.07	303	1,500	1,240	47	7.0	4,410	7.9	13
May 11-20, ...	20.1	5.6	.08	288	243	700	11	317	2,750	95	.5	.32	--	4,260	5.79	231	1,740	1,480	46	7.3	5,000	8.0	10
May 21-31, ...	55.9	6.3	.09	300	239	689	13	302	2,800	103	.2	1.6	--	4,300	5.85	649	1,730	1,480	46	7.2	4,950	7.7	15
June 1-10, ...	156	8.2	.13	178	128	350	8.5	286	1,380	36	.3	2.5	--	2,230	3.03	939	970	736	44	4.9	2,730	7.7	15
June 11-20, ...	432	8.8	.09	177	5.2	268	7.3	24	.2	2.5	--	1,930	1.77	1,520	1,655	428	37	3.0	1,740	7.8	15		
June 21-30, ...	869	8.4	.12	91	43	80	3.6	230	348	12	.2	2.2	.05	1,701	.95	1,140	404	216	30	1.7	993	7.8	15
July 1-10, ...	435	8.4	.12	101	55	120	4.8	252	483	16	.3	2.2	--	1,24	1.24	1,120	478	272	35	2.4	1,280	7.9	15
July 11-20, ...	199	8.7	.08	136	83	187	4.7	270	786	25	.2	2.0	--	1,370	1.86	736	656	435	39	3.3	1,630	7.9	15
July 21-31, ...	95.0	9.5	.08	180	136	331	8.5	264	1,420	40	.3	1.6	--	2,260	3.07	580	1,010	792	41	4.5	2,770	7.7	10
July 1-10, ...	110	13	.08	244	156	403	11	260	1,820	54	.4	2.1	.31	2,830	3.85	841	1,250	1,040	41	5.0	3,370	7.9	30
July 11-20, ...	44.7	9.0	.08	254	194	516	11	250	2,190	65	.2	1.5	--	3,360	4.57	606	1,430	1,230	44	5.9	3,940	7.7	20
July 21-31, ...	175	15	.16	268	115	365	8.9	272	1,610	46	.6	1.7	--	2,560	3.48	541	1,210	1,140	41	4.7	3,060	7.7	20
Aug. 1-10, ...	59.5	14	.08	361	162	504	13	271	2,240	73	.4	2.1	.40	3,500	4.76	562	1,570	1,340	41	5.5	4,000	8.0	29
Aug. 11-20, ...	180	14	.10	330	126	398	11	247	1,850	48	.6	1.7	--	2,900	3.94	1,110	1,140	39	4.7	3,350	7.8	23	
Aug. 21-31, ...	42.0	12	.10	286	164	504	12	264	2,070	61	.5	2.0	--	3,240	4.41	367	1,380	1,170	44	5.9	3,730	7.8	22
Sept. 1-10, ...	21.1	9.2	.06	302	212	652	11	259	2,580	78	.3	1.0	--	3,980	5.41	227	1,630	1,410	46	7.0	4,570	7.6	10
Sept. 11-20, ...	14.1	7.6	.10	330	236	716	12	283	2,820	90	.2	0.9	--	4,530	5.92	166	1,780	1,560	46	7.3	4,950	7.8	10
Sept. 21-30, ...	a.111	9.4	0.09	191	122	322	7.0	285	1,330	40	0.3	2.6	--	2,170	2.95	650	978	744	41	4.5	2,650	--	--

a. Represents 85 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN RAFAEL RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Temperature (° F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	70	55	32	--	--	--	53	55	62	75	74	68
2	70	56	32	32	32	42	57	56	63	75	68	70
3	71	53	32	32	32	41	55	58	67	77	78	69
4	69	50	32	32	34	41	--	--	64	74	72	70
5	67	50	32	--	34	45	--	61	62	--	77	--
6	--	49	32	32	40	46	52	60	62	78	74	72
7	66	50	--	32	40	47	50	60	59	80	74	76
8	74	54	32	32	--	--	48	62	64	79	73	73
9	65	57	32	32	--	51	47	--	64	76	70	71
10	--	44	31	--	36	52	48	--	62	75	70	75
11	65	40	32	--	38	52	48	58	67	80	--	75
12	65	45	32	32	37	--	51	55	70	74	69	75
13	65	45	33	32	37	46	50	61	70	81	77	76
14	63	--	33	--	36	49	52	67	--	83	74	77
15	60	--	33	32	--	--	54	64	70	81	76	75
16	60	39	32	32	--	50	56	62	66	78	--	72
17	61	44	32	--	40	--	55	65	70	75	76	70
18	59	--	--	--	34	44	58	--	70	80	78	69
19	58	41	32	--	32	49	--	64	70	83	75	69
20	60	40	32	32	--	42	--	65	--	80	76	73
21	59	40	--	32	34	41	63	68	75	--	73	67
22	59	--	--	32	--	46	63	64	--	80	65	70
23	60	--	32	--	34	50	63	63	67	81	66	68
24	58	34	33	--	37	50	62	--	73	--	60	72
25	--	33	--	--	--	53	65	61	--	78	71	68
Aver-	age	62	--	--	--	48	55	--	67	78	72	71

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN RAFAEL RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	58	136	21	57	222	34			
2.....	58	129	20	58			50		
3.....	58	130	20	57	401	60			
4.....	55	330	49	55	350	51			
5.....	54	400	58	54				306	
6.....	53	430	a 62	54	322	47			
7.....	53	476	68	55	330	49			
8.....	52	470	66	55	390	58	60		
9.....	56	480	73	55	260	39			
10.....	55	530	a 79	55	310	46			
11.....	56	530	80	55	310	46			
12.....	57	475	73	55	290	43	80		458
13.....	57			54	400	58			
14.....	56			58	390	61			
15.....	56			62	360	a 60			
16.....	54		375	56	70	380	72		
17.....	54				76	520	107		
18.....	55				76	500	103		
19.....	58				80	490	106		
20.....	61				76	320	66	80	
21.....	62				74	340	68		
22.....	62				76	500	103		560
23.....	60		299	47	74	440	88		
24.....	56				65	348	61	60	
25.....	55				45	230	28		
26.....	55				45	222	27		
27.....	55				45	332	40	60	
28.....	55		300	a 45					390
29.....	55				--	--			--
30.....	56		223	34	--	--			--
31.....	56				--	--			--
Total.	1,743	--	1,584	1,776	--	1,709	2,070	--	2,600
	January			February			March		
1.....		--		129	1,200	a 420	154	1,400	a 580
2.....		294		118	1,200	382	164	3,150	1,390
3.....		330		111	1,310	393	134	2,090	756
4.....		319		111	1,700	509	111	1,030	309
5.....	70	280	56	123	2,550	847	109	1,140	336
6.....		230		127	1,800	617	116	1,470	460
7.....		300		134	1,800	651	129	1,800	627
8.....		350		141	1,400	a 530	127	1,590	545
9.....		370		159	1,600	a 690	127	1,420	487
10.....		--		146	1,500	591	129	1,480	515
11.....		--		114	1,210	372	131	1,610	569
12.....		334		113	981	293	125	1,800	a 610
13.....		370		103	997	s 272	120	1,940	629
14.....		90	110	100	880	238	107	1,610	465
15.....		320		107	1,100	a 320	96	1,500	a 390
16.....		250		120	1,500	a 490	89	1,200	288
17.....		--		120	1,650	535	56	480	a 73
18.....		1,270		120	1,120	363	.4	100	(t)
19.....		620		106	948	271	27	1,150	s 125
20.....		300		104	830	s 243	58	1,220	191
21.....		630		101	730	199	64	820	142
22.....		670		100	770	a 210	69	810	151
23.....	100	--	190	104	840	236	68	933	171
24.....		--		116	1,250	392	65	720	126
25.....		--		127	830	265	64	640	111
26.....	120	1,800	583	125	1,270	429	67	1,040	188
27.....	120	1,730	561	123	1,040	345	69	1,100	a 200
28.....	125	1,760	594	134	970	351	70	900	170
29.....	127	1,770	607	--	--		68	1,120	206
30.....	116	1,370	429	--	--		75	1,520	308
31.....	118	1,300	a 410	--	--		90	1,710	416
Total.	2,866	--	5,900	3,336	--	11,474	2,878.4	--	11,534

s Computed by subdividing day.

t Less than 0.50 tons.

a Computed from partially estimated concentration graph.

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN RAFAEL RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April		May		June	
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)		Mean concen- tration (ppm)		Mean concen- tration (ppm)
1.....	100		52		131	450
2.....	80		44		182	1,900
3.....	76		38		246	1,630
4.....	75		33		292	2,280
5.....	74		29	250	433	700
	947	206		22		818
6.....	86		27		456	700
7.....	80		23		438	800
8.....	76		19		424	1,000
9.....	78		18	100	479	1,600
10.....	69		18	100	a 5	2,070
					690	3,810
						7,100
11.....	63		19		832	4,240
12.....	57		20		917	3,880
13.....	52	458	73	18	963	4,000
14.....	50		18	103	1,100	3,800
15.....	61		20	5	1,080	a 11,000
						2,700
						7,870
16.....	61		18		912	3,530
17.....	54		19		832	3,100
18.....	46		19		763	1,880
19.....	44		24		666	1,650
20.....	44		26	172	623	2,180
	292	32		11		2,150
21.....	42		24		571	780
22.....	38		27		511	720
23.....	36		45		428	798
24.....	33		44		366	730
25.....	29		39	299	33	650
					324	a 570
26.....	33		43		269	780
27.....	41	417	44	45	214	430
28.....	39		55	300	a 45	350
29.....	42		68	800	185	175
30.....	50	350	a 47	2,170	147	170
31.....	--	--	118	1,400	627	300
Total.	1,709	--	2,876	1,117	a 450	97
				--		--
						95,547
	July		August		September	
1.....	143	220	a 85	540	41,000	s a 74,000
2.....	136	219	80	494	49,400	s 68,300
3.....	118	334	106	258	22,700	15,800
4.....	102	257	71	123	14,500	4,820
5.....	90	220	a 53	82	3,100	686
					39	690
						a 73
6.....	79	190	41	63	1,000	170
7.....	82	240	53	54	640	93
8.....	76	218	45	45	300	36
9.....	60	187	30	44	170	20
10.....	64	360	62	50	230	31
					27	120
						9
11.....	85	556	s 151	107	714	s 190
12.....	364	10,600	s 10,000	68	6,700	1,230
13.....	141	24,700	s 9,240	51	20,500	2,820
14.....	92	9,650	2,400	43	11,800	1,370
15.....	71	420	81	60	9,000	s 1,900
					20	90
						5
16.....	60	180	29	78	7,800	a 1,600
17.....	61	270	44	54	17,000	a 2,500
18.....	69	200	37	53	6,800	a 970
19.....	83	840	188	43	2,500	290
20.....	78	450	95	38	1,200	123
					18	180
						9
21.....	54	220	a 32	34	700	64
22.....	46	500	62	92	3,220	s 1,410
23.....	41	300	33	743	29,000	s a 66,000
24.....	38	140	a 14	311	30,900	s 27,000
25.....	35	79	7	104	25,400	7,130
					15	190
						8
26.....	32	56	5	68	17,300	3,180
27.....	31	110	9	50	5,400	729
28.....	30	135	11	58	3,200	a 500
29.....	31	280	23	211	13,800	s 15,400
30.....	52	2,380	s a 570	213	23,000	a 13,000
31.....	102	3,900	s a 1,200	98	28,000	a 7,400
Total.	2,546	--	24,857	4,330	--	318,762
					772	--
						4,689

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 40,796.4

Total load for year (tons) ..... 483,264

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from partially estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN RAFAEL RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, UTAH--Continued

(Methods of analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 W<sub>n</sub>, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M<sub>m</sub>, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Suspended sediment						Methods of analysis	
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062		
Oct. 7, 1952	2:45 p. m.	55	66	56.6	--	--	--	--	--	59	72	S	
Oct. 13	2:45 p. m.	58	65	63.3	--	--	--	--	--	60	75	S	
Nov. 17	3:05 p. m.	59	45	280	--	--	--	--	--	67	79	S	
Nov. 25	9:45 a. m.	a.45	33	64.6	--	--	--	--	--	86	100	V	
Dec. 2	2:20 p. m.	a.50	33	201	--	--	--	--	--	89	94	S	
Dec. 10	11:20 a. m.	a.80	33	796	4,120	27	--	--	34	--	75	90	VPWCM
Dec. 24	10:40 a. m.	a.60	33	482	--	--	--	--	--	88	95	S	
Jan. 6, 1953	2:00 p. m.	a.70	32	328	--	--	--	--	--	86	95	S	
Jan. 13	9:50 a. m.	a.90	32	432	--	--	--	--	--	84	90	S	
Jan. 20	9:40 a. m.	a.90	32	338	--	--	--	--	--	78	88	S	
Feb. 2	9:45 a. m.	129	32	1,330	3,500	--	21	--	34	--	74	99	SPN
Feb. 7	2:40 p. m.	136	40	2,680	3,050	--	26	--	43	--	72	86	VPWCM
Feb. 17	2:30 p. m.	116	40	1,860	5,700	--	22	--	35	--	54	73	SPWCM
Feb. 24	2:40 p. m.	125	37	2,540	3,800	--	12	--	22	--	64	81	VPWCM
Mar. 7	2:25 p. m.	127	47	1,960	4,620	--	24	--	40	--	63	83	SPWCM
Mar. 7	2:25 p. m.	127	47	1,960	4,410	--	1	--	33	--	63	83	SPN
Mar. 23	1:50 p. m.	65	50	816	--	--	12	--	18	--	47	89	VPWCM
Apr. 13	2:30 p. m.	52	50	524	3,360	--	9	--	18	--	38	72	SPWCM
May 1	3:40 p. m.	51	55	366	2,800	--	11	--	16	--	44	76	VPWCM
May 29	2:15 p. m.	67	65	676	3,860	--	8	--	13	--	34	84	VPWCM
June 3	3:25 p. m.	273	63	1,810	4,080	2	5	7	10	19	45	76	SBWCM
June 3	3:25 p. m.	273	63	1,810	4,460	1	4	5	16	31	51	79	SBN
June 10	10:40 a. m.	143	69	243	--	--	--	--	--	50	61	98	SPWCM
July 13	3:00 p. m.	123	80	22,500	4,020	--	76	--	98	--	100	75	SPWCM
July 18	7:15 p. m.	65	80	244	608	51	62	69	82	97	99	99	SPWCM
July 29	11:30 a. m.	24	78	230	1,060	0	15	0	0	74	75	100	SPN

a. Stage-discharge relation affected by ice discharge shown is daily mean.

Aug.	1, 1953	10:45 a. m.	447	74	500	3,260	50	58	76	89	95	SPWCM
			548	68	58	100	4,220	48	59	72	99	SPWCM
	2	8:00 a. m.	74	77	1,120	3,440	69	60	90	97	94	SPWCM
	3	7:00 p. m.	74	77	1,120	3,440	69	60	90	97	99	SPWCM
	4	8:45 a. m.	84	72	3,400	5,360	64	61	94	99	99	SPWCM
	5	8:45 p. m.	84	72	3,400	5,360	64	61	94	99	99	SPWCM
	6	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	85	SPWCM
	7	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	87	SPWCM
	8	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	90	SPWCM
	9	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM
	10	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM
	11	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM
	12	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM
	13	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM
	14	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM
	15	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM
	16	8:45 p. m.	18	72	1,380	50	57	71	77	78	99	SPWCM

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## DIRTY DEVIL RIVER BASIN

## DIRTY DEVIL RIVER NEAR HITE, UTAH

LOCATION.--Samples collected near the mouth, above backwater of the Colorado River, about 9 miles upstream from Hite, Garfield County, and 3 miles downstream from gaging station.

RECORDS AVAILABLE: Chemical analyses: October 1947 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: May 1949 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1947-52.--Dissolved solids: Maximum 6,310 ppm June 21-30, 1950; minimum 2,150 ppm Aug. 6-7, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 3,030 ppm July 12, 1951; minimum 2,435 ppm Aug. 17, 1951.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 9,070 micromhos June 23, 1950; minimum daily, 898 micromhos Feb. 17, 1948.

Water temperatures: 1949-52.--Maximum observed 97°F July 2, 1950; minimum observed freezing point on several days during winter months.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Prior to July 8, 1948, samples were collected at gaging station near Hanksville. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. No discharge records available for this station.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)												Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non-carbonate calcium, magnesium per million	Percent sodium carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH			
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas-sium (K)	Bicar-bonate (HC <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo-ride (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Ni-trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo-ron (B)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day						
Oct. 1-10, 1952 . . .	23	0.08	422	61	160	13	137	1,280	130	0.4	1.8	--	2,160	2.94	1,300	1,180	21	1.9	2,620	7.9	10
Oct. 11, 13-15, . . .	21	.08	337	58	147	11	159	1,040	131	.4	1.4	0.23	1,830	2.43	1,080	949	23	1.9	2,320	7.9	7
Oct. 17-18 . . . . .	21	.08	302	54	135	11	172	916	119	.3	1.8	--	1,640	2.23	976	834	23	1.9	2,120	7.7	7
Oct. 23-29 . . . . .	22	.08	283	53	130	8.6	172	857	115	.3	2.0	--	1,560	2.12	924	783	23	1.9	2,030	7.8	7
Nov. 1, 6-8, 10 . . .	21	.09	277	54	142	8.6	182	895	124	.3	3.2	.22	1,610	2.19	913	764	25	2.0	2,120	7.8	10
Nov. 12, 14-15 . . . .	21	.09	243	55	146	8.0	200	790	127	.2	3.6	--	1,490	2.03	832	668	27	2.2	2,010	8.0	5
Nov. 18-20 . . . . .	21	.09	243	55	146	8.0	200	790	127	.2	3.6	--	1,490	2.03	832	668	27	2.2	2,010	8.0	5
Nov. 21-22, 24 . . . .	21	.09	243	55	146	8.0	200	790	127	.2	3.6	--	1,490	2.03	832	668	27	2.2	2,010	8.0	5
Nov. 26-27 . . . . .	21	.09	243	55	146	8.0	200	790	127	.2	3.6	--	1,490	2.03	832	668	27	2.2	2,010	8.0	5
Dec. 2, 4, 6, 8, 11, . . .	30	.19	240	49	117	6.9	170	726	101	.2	2.3	.47	1,360	1.85	800	661	24	1.8	1,770	7.9	15
Dec. 13, 15-18 . . . . .	30	.19	240	49	117	6.9	170	726	101	.2	2.3	.47	1,360	1.85	800	661	24	1.8	1,770	7.9	15
Jan. 6, 12-13, 15-17, . . .	29	.05	203	46	130	7.4	178	639	119	.2	2.8	.19	1,260	1.71	696	550	29	2.1	1,730	7.8	10
Jan. 22, 28, 30, 1953 . . .	28	.07	197	47	140	7.4	196	621	120	.1	2.5	.20	1,260	1.71	685	524	30	2.3	1,720	7.7	10
Feb. 2, 4, 6, 14, 16-19 . . .	28	.07	197	47	140	7.4	196	621	120	.1	2.5	.20	1,260	1.71	685	524	30	2.3	1,720	7.7	10
Feb. 21, 23-25, 28 . . . .	30	.07	180	46	124	7.2	190	563	110	.3	2.4	--	1,160	1.58	634	478	30	2.1	1,630	7.8	4
Mar. 1, 3, 10, 12, 14, . . .	29	.07	181	48	130	7.2	186	598	112	.3	2.4	--	1,200	1.63	649	496	30	2.2	1,670	7.8	4
Mar. 16-21 . . . . .	28	.08	196	56	151	7.7	184	691	142	.2	2.2	--	1,370	1.86	728	576	31	2.4	1,850	7.7	15
Mar. 23-31 . . . . .	28	.08	196	56	151	7.7	184	691	142	.2	2.2	--	1,370	1.86	728	576	31	2.4	1,850	7.7	15
Apr. 2, 9, 11, 13-18, . . .	29	.05	192	72	170	8.4	186	739	186	.2	2.0	.16	1,470	2.00	775	622	32	2.7	1,990	7.8	10
Apr. 20 . . . . .	30	.05	192	66	161	11	194	752	162	.2	2.0	.16	1,470	2.00	780	622	31	2.5	1,980	7.7	15
Apr. 21-24, 28, 30 . . . .	28	.07	204	52	259	13	188	1,040	256	.5	1.3	--	2,030	2.76	1,010	833	35	3.6	2,680	7.7	15
May 4, 6-9 . . . . .	29	.06	264	87	196	14	210	947	203	.5	1.2	.26	1,850	2.52	1,020	844	29	2.7	2,430	7.4	18
May 11-12, 16, 18-21 . . .	29	.06	346	114	328	21	255	356	1.0	--	2,680	3.64	1,340	1,130	34	3.9	3,420	7.6	15		
May 22-30 . . . . .	29	.06	346	114	328	21	255	356	1.0	--	2,680	3.64	1,340	1,130	34	3.9	3,420	7.6	15		

June 1-9, 1963.....	33	11	620	205	761	72	524	1,940	1,240	.6	5,130	6,98	1,960	2,390	6,8	6,730	7.2	5		
June 12-13, 15-16..	29	.09	616	226	979	87	440	2,080	1,120	.8	5,760	7.83	2,470	2,110	45	8,6	7,480	7.3		
June 24-27, 30.....	24	.22	716	262	1,170	100	520	2,440	1,810	.5	6,780	9.22	2,860	2,440	46	9.5	8,740	7.2		
July 1-2, 8, 11, 13	29	.31	668	252	1,140	91	344	2,430	1,780	.5	6,970	8.94	2,700	2,420	47	9.5	8,610	7.1		
July 22, 24, 26.....	25	.24	596	145	511	30	224	2,260	1,460	.8	5,63	4,140	2,080	1,900	34	4.9	4,860	7.0		
Aug. 3, 7-8, 10.....	25	.09	616	90	399	21	202	2,180	242	.9	5.1	--	3,890	5.02	1,740	31	4.0	4,130	7.6	
Aug. 11-20.....	19	.12	632	97	412	17	233	2,210	240	.7	1.7	.45	3,740	5.09	1,780	31	4.0	4,160	7.5	
Aug. 21-31.....	21	.13	622	85	398	19	204	2,170	258	.5	2.2	--	3,680	5.00	1,980	31	4.0	4,050	7.4	
Sept. 3-5, 7, 10...	23	.06	595	90	281	17	184	1,850	202	.4	4.3	--	3,110	4.23	1,750	26	2.9	3,560	7.5	
Sept. 11-19.....	27	.10	414	67	198	13	168	1,310	173	.5	2.1	.40	2,290	3.11	1,310	1,170	25	2.4	2,760	7.3
Sept. 21-30.....	24	.10	352	61	165	13	178	1,100	139	.4	1.6	--	1,940	2.64	1,130	983	24	2.1	2,410	7.3
																		30		

**DIRTY DEVIL RIVER BASIN--Continued**

**DIRTY DEVIL RIVER NEAR HITE, UTAH--Continued**

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$  F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT HITE, UTAH

LOCATION.--At gaging station at Hite, Garfield County, a quarter of a mile upstream from Trachyte Creek, 1 mile downstream from White Canyon, 8 miles downstream from Dirty Devil River, and 600 square miles upstream from San Juan River.

DRIFTAGE AREA = 76,600 square miles, approximately.  
RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: May 1949 to September 1953.  
Sediment records: October 1948 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum 1,350 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum 1,182 ppm June 1-10. Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 618 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum 1,920 micromhos Sept. 4; minimum daily, 431 micromhos June 23. Water temperature: Maximum observed, 83°F July 14, 29; minimum observed, 35°F Dec. 1, 2, 30.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 833 mg/l July 14, 29; minimum daily, 160 ppm Sept. 28.

EXTREMES, 1948-53.--Dissolved solids (1950-53): Maximum, 1,990 ppm Sept. 22, 1952; minimum, 251 ppm June 11-20, 1952.

Hardness, 1950-53: Maximum, 1,000 tons Aug. 2; minimum, 155 June 11, 1952.

Specific conductance (1950-53): Maximum daily, 2,470 ppm Sept. 22, 1952; minimum daily, 355 micromhos June 19, 1952.

Water temperatures (1949-53): Maximum observed, 83°F July 31, 1951; July 14, 29, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 34,300 ppm Aug. 4, 1951; minimum daily, 49 ppm Jan. 10, 1951.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 1,770,000 tons Aug. 4, 1951; minimum daily, 447 tons Jan. 10, 1951.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953						Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH												
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bor- onium (B)	Dissolved salts (residue at 180°C)	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Per- cent calcium, mag- nessium	Per- cent non-carbon- ate	So- dium adsorp- tion ratio				
Oct. 1-10, 1952	5,644	13	121	52	144	5.7	208	489	105	4.0	0.26	--	1,080	1,47	16,480	516	346	3.7	2.8	1,510	--
Oct. 11-20	4,963	12	120	58	164	5.7	200	540	121	4.3	0.26	--	1,070	1.59	15,680	538	374	40	3.1	1,630	--
Oct. 23-27, 29	5,197	12	126	59	172	6.1	212	576	125	4.3	0.26	--	1,240	1.69	17,400	557	384	40	3.2	1,690	--
Nov. 1-2, 6-8, 10	5,265	12	130	64	178	6.2	224	576	130	5.1	0.26	--	1,280	1.74	18,200	588	404	39	3.2	1,740	--
Nov. 11-20	5,917	12	133	61	178	5.9	233	573	136	5.4	0.26	--	1,210	1.73	20,280	533	392	40	3.2	1,750	--
Nov. 21-22, 24, 26	6,300	14	128	59	167	5.7	241	526	120	5.3	0.26	--	1,210	1.66	20,580	562	364	39	3.1	1,660	--
Dec. 1-10, 1952	4,617	16	130	59	188	6.3	240	533	150	8.9	0.26	--	1,280	1.71	16,710	567	370	42	3.4	1,780	8.0
Dec. 11-12, 15-16																					
18, 22-23, 30	5,918	16	123	57	170	5.8	247	509	130	7.4	0.26	--	1,160	1.58	18,540	542	339	40	3.2	1,660	8.0
Jan. 7-19, 1953	6,895	14	114	51	167	5.4	242	446	137	6.6	0.22	--	1,100	1.50	20,480	494	296	42	3.3	1,580	8.0
Jan. 21, 25, 26, 28-31	6,020	14	104	49	154	5.2	234	408	124	6.6	0.22	--	1,000	1.36	16,280	481	270	42	3.1	1,480	8.0
Feb. 1-6, 1953	5,919	14	104	48	165	5.2	235	407	126	6.3	0.26	--	1,010	1.37	16,140	457	264	42	3.2	1,480	7.9
Feb. 13-18	5,920	13	101	48	162	5.0	231	423	124	6.5	0.26	--	1,030	1.40	16,480	450	260	44	3.3	1,480	--
Feb. 20-28	5,324	13	100	47	165	5.1	233	405	138	6.3	0.26	--	1,010	1.37	14,520	443	252	44	3.4	1,500	--
Mar. 1-10	5,807	13	106	49	171	5.0	246	430	145	5.1	0.26	--	1,070	1.46	16,780	466	264	44	3.4	1,560	--
Mar. 11-20	7,681	13	98	43	147	4.8	231	377	111	5.1	0.26	--	914	1.24	18,900	409	220	43	3.2	1,560	--
Mar. 21-31	6,697	14	91	42	138	4.3	211	369	114	3.9	0.26	--	889	1.21	16,070	400	226	43	3.0	1,340	--

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT HITE, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Parts per million	Soil adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Color pH		
											Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day							
Apr. 1-10 1953...	8,044	13	95	42	135	4.3	214	383	106	3.3	1.22	19,420	410	234	41	2.9	1,330	--		
Apr. 11-20 .....	7,256	13	88	40	124	4.2	204	343	92	3.1	0.14	822	1.12	384	41	2.7	1,230	--		
Apr. 21-30 .....	7,526	13	93	39	126	5.0	199	350	104	3.0	--	632	1.13	364	41	2.8	1,250	--		
May 1-10 .....	12,400	13	72	26	73	3.3	195	209	49	3.2	--	554	.75	18,550	286	35	1.9	848	--	
May 11-20 .....	10,380	13	68	27	76	3.3	168	214	58	2.7	--	75	15,530	280	143	37	2.0	856	--	
May 21-26 .....	14,883	13	76	56	84	3.6	169	251	63	3.9	--	624	.85	25,070	308	170	37	2.1	941	--
May 27-31 .....	34,900	13	56	18	42	2.7	155	52	3.1	--	--	380	.52	35,800	214	86	30	1.2	590	--
June 1-10 .....	41,930	16	50	14	28	2.1	155	91	16	2.7	--	303	.41	34,350	182	56	25	.9	471	--
June 11-20 .....	52,010	14	96	13	26	2.3	172	88	16	2.0	--	308	.42	43,250	193	52	22	.8	487	--
June 21-30 .....	40,500	13	53	13	27	1.9	158	88	18	1.3	--	299	.41	32,700	186	56	24	.9	471	--
July 1-10 .....	18,080	14	67	20	40	2.8	168	138	36	1.6	--	404	.55	19,700	249	112	26	1.1	630	--
July 11-15, 20 .....	12,160	13	79	28	61	3.7	184	204	53	1.6	--	544	.74	17,860	312	161	30	1.5	820	--
July 21-31 .....	9,976	15	95	33	73	4.8	194	279	56	2.3	--	674	.92	16,160	372	214	30	1.6	982	--
Aug. 1-10 .....	12,714	16	124	38	114	6.3	212	406	70	4.0	--	881	1.20	30,240	466	292	34	2.3	1,280	--
Aug. 11-20 .....	7,723	15	109	39	102	5.1	204	375	72	3.7	--	833	1.13	17,370	432	266	34	2.1	1,200	--
Aug. 21-31 .....	5,950	14	137	47	131	6.2	206	496	92	4.4	--	1,040	1.41	16,710	536	366	34	2.5	1,470	--
Sept. 1-10 .....	5,069	12	146	57	162	6.4	208	593	110	5.5	--	1,240	1.69	16,970	599	428	37	2.9	1,680	--
Sept. 11-20 .....	3,627	11	130	57	162	5.7	198	569	116	4.2	--	1,220	1.66	11,950	559	397	38	3.0	1,660	--
Sept. 21-30 .....	3,220	11	142	64	185	5.5	204	627	130	4.7	--	1,350	1.64	11,740	618	450	39	3.2	1,800	--
Weighted average...	8,111,490	14	81	30	82	3.7	188	255	61	3.2	--	637	0.87	19,760	326	172	35	2.0	939	--

a Represents 92 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT HITE, UTAH--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	71	56	33	--	38	41	56	58	63	73	79	72
2	71	54	33	--	40	43	57	56	62	75	76	--
3	71	--	36	--	41	42	54	--	63	76	78	75
4	--	--	34	--	--	40	--	58	63	--	76	75
5	67	--	--	--	40	39	--	59	64	--	79	75
6	68	54	36	--	43	--	--	63	63	78	79	75
7	68	54	--	35	40	--	56	62	63	--	79	76
8	68	53	36	36	40	47	52	62	64	78	80	--
9	--	--	34	34	--	--	53	--	64	79	78	75
10	68	52	--	--	--	47	51	58	64	78	79	76
11	67	49	34	36	--	52	50	59	--	79	78	76
12	67	48	34	36	--	52	50	60	70	--	78	77
13	67	--	35	39	39	52	50	57	71	80	78	--
14	65	48	--	36	41	49	53	--	68	83	78	77
15	64	46	35	36	39	48	55	62	69	79	78	77
16	63	--	36	39	42	50	55	61	--	--	78	77
17	63	46	--	37	43	50	55	--	69	--	79	76
18	62	45	35	--	40	50	57	62	70	--	79	75
19	57	45	--	35	--	50	--	63	70	--	79	77
20	--	45	--	--	39	48	61	66	69	79	80	--
21	--	44	--	38	39	--	63	66	--	--	79	75
22	--	43	37	--	--	50	65	68	70	80	78	75
23	57	--	37	--	38	49	67	66	70	80	77	75
24	60	42	--	--	38	53	67	--	71	80	78	76
25	60	--	--	40	41	53	66	64	72	80	78	--
26	59	37	--	41	--	54	--	65	72	--	73	--
27	60	--	--	--	37	56	64	64	72	80	76	70
28	--	--	--	40	41	57	62	63	--	80	--	68
29	55	--	--	40	--	--	62	63	72	83	73	70
30	--	--	33	41	--	57	58	62	72	82	75	69
31	--	--	--	37	--	56	--	62	--	79	75	--
Aver-	age	--	--	--	--	49	58	62	68	--	78	--

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT HITE, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	6,450	742	12,900	5,120	771	10,700	3,880	366	3,830
2.....	6,250	675	11,400	5,000	890	12,000	3,680	320	3,180
3.....	6,110	625	10,300	5,170	880	a 12,000	3,840	350	3,630
4.....	5,940	--	e 10,000	5,260	860	a 12,000	4,120	430	4,780
5.....	5,770	665	10,400	5,470	840	a 12,000	4,680	500	a 6,300
6.....	5,520	544	8,110	5,520	828	12,300	5,050	593	8,090
7.....	5,310	485	6,950	5,480	803	11,900	5,290	600	a 8,600
8.....	5,120	375	5,180	5,190	772	10,800	5,380	607	8,820
9.....	5,010	--	e 5,000	5,100	730	a 10,000	5,240	610	8,630
10.....	4,960	372	4,980	5,280	692	9,870	5,010	600	a 8,100
11.....	4,910	341	4,520	5,330	810	11,700	5,080	580	7,960
12.....	4,880	358	4,720	5,480	1,000	14,800	5,360	600	8,680
13.....	4,860	413	5,420	5,870	1,000	a 16,000	5,400	600	a 8,700
14.....	4,910	467	6,190	5,870	895	15,800	5,330	600	a 8,600
15.....	4,930	422	5,620	5,750	900	14,000	5,630	599	9,110
16.....	4,930	397	5,280	5,830	910	a 14,000	5,920	620	9,910
17.....	4,910	383	5,080	6,090	1,000	16,400	6,090	630	a 10,000
18.....	4,960	484	6,480	6,270	1,120	19,000	6,410	662	11,500
19.....	5,100	472	6,500	6,250	1,000	16,900	6,330	660	a 11,000
20.....	5,240	--	e 10,000	6,430	860	14,900	6,370	650	a 11,000
21.....	5,310	--	e 10,000	6,190	780	13,000	6,530	650	a 11,000
22.....	5,330	--	--	6,150	780	13,000	6,940	680	12,800
23.....	5,340	721	10,400	6,330	810	a 14,000	7,060	650	12,400
24.....	5,290	904	12,900	6,450	822	14,300	6,800	620	a 11,000
25.....	5,130	750	10,400	6,510	750	a 13,500	6,490	590	a 10,000
26.....	5,120	778	10,800	6,410	659	11,400	6,110	560	a 9,200
27.....	5,080	872	12,000	6,250	671	11,300	5,880	520	a 8,300
28.....	5,120	--	e 13,000	5,380	500	a 7,300	5,770	490	a 7,600
29.....	5,220	981	13,800	4,720	410	a 5,200	5,430	460	a 6,700
30.....	5,280	--	e 14,000	4,200	400	a 4,500	4,940	426	5,680
31.....	5,170	--	e 12,000	--	--	--	4,550	390	a 4,800
Total.	163,460	--	274,600	170,350	--	374,070	170,590	--	259,900
	January			February			March		
1.....	4,530	360	a 4,400	5,770	355	5,530	5,560	580	8,710
2.....	4,520	350	a 4,300	5,920	369	5,900	5,850	550	8,600
3.....	4,840	340	a 4,400	5,940	355	5,680	5,810	390	6,120
4.....	4,790	320	a 4,100	5,980	370	a 6,000	5,870	350	5,550
5.....	4,960	300	a 4,000	5,960	385	6,200	5,920	319	5,100
6.....	4,930	260	a 3,500	5,900	358	5,700	5,900	340	a 5,400
7.....	4,860	233	3,080	5,960	422	6,790	5,680	360	a 5,500
8.....	4,770	250	3,220	5,920	354	5,660	5,700	381	5,860
9.....	5,360	400	5,790	6,450	490	a 8,500	5,880	390	a 6,200
10.....	5,850	440	a 6,900	6,370	420	a 7,200	5,900	397	6,320
11.....	5,940	440	7,060	6,330	400	a 6,800	6,080	437	7,190
12.....	5,980	488	7,880	6,230	400	a 6,700	6,370	447	7,890
13.....	6,040	456	7,440	6,090	402	6,610	6,470	480	8,390
14.....	6,060	470	a 7,700	6,000	401	6,500	7,130	790	15,200
15.....	6,250	520	8,780	5,940	368	5,900	8,210	1,180	26,200
16.....	6,250	530	8,940	6,020	325	5,280	8,780	1,280	30,300
17.....	6,110	400	6,600	5,790	294	4,600	9,330	1,410	35,500
18.....	6,290	406	6,900	5,680	300	4,600	8,930	1,410	34,000
19.....	6,080	418	6,880	5,870	290	a 4,600	8,000	1,230	26,800
20.....	5,850	450	a 7,100	5,770	244	3,800	7,300	1,140	22,500
21.....	5,920	514	8,220	5,410	200	2,920	7,040	910	17,300
22.....	6,080	500	a 8,200	5,220	180	a 2,500	7,080	910	17,400
23.....	6,130	430	a 7,100	5,480	280	4,140	7,110	975	18,700
24.....	6,090	400	a 6,500	5,590	368	5,550	6,960	930	17,500
25.....	5,980	370	5,970	5,330	321	4,620	6,940	800	15,000
26.....	6,130	400	6,620	5,080	280	a 3,800	6,700	610	11,000
27.....	6,190	400	a 6,700	4,980	254	3,420	6,350	530	9,090
28.....	6,210	422	7,080	5,060	280	3,830	6,110	450	7,420
29.....	6,130	520	8,610	--	--	--	6,130	470	a 7,800
30.....	5,940	420	6,740	--	--	--	6,550	500	8,840
31.....	5,830	393	6,190	--	--	--	6,700	490	8,860
Total.	176,860	--	196,860	162,040	--	149,340	208,350	--	415,930

e Estimated.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT HITE, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	6,980	493	9,290	12,600	2,500	85,000	42,100	4,900	557,000
2.....	7,620	510	10,500	14,300	2,850	110,000	42,900	4,300	498,000
3.....	8,070	680	14,800	14,500	2,900	a 110,000	44,200	4,080	487,000
4.....	8,120	740	a 16,000	14,400	2,730	106,000	44,000	3,700	440,000
5.....	7,960	790	a 17,000	14,000	2,590	97,900	43,900	3,400	403,000
6.....	7,980	840	18,000	13,100	2,340	82,800	44,400	3,270	392,000
7.....	8,440	900	20,500	11,600	2,010	63,000	43,400	2,790	327,000
8.....	8,710	1,010	23,800	10,500	1,600	45,400	40,800	2,570	283,000
9.....	8,470	1,100	25,200	9,670	1,300	a 34,000	38,300	2,490	257,000
10.....	8,090	990	21,600	9,330	1,190	30,000	35,900	2,310	224,000
11.....	8,020	820	17,800	9,570	1,020	26,400	35,200	2,300	a 220,000
12.....	7,960	780	16,800	10,300	990	27,500	39,000	2,500	263,000
13.....	7,820	704	14,900	11,000	990	29,400	45,400	2,940	360,000
14.....	7,730	683	14,300	10,800	930	a 27,000	50,700	2,790	382,000
15.....	7,660	650	13,400	10,700	810	23,400	58,200	2,880	453,000
16.....	7,440	580	11,700	11,000	852	25,300	61,300	3,470	574,000
17.....	6,840	490	9,050	10,700	800	a 23,000	59,300	3,300	a 530,000
18.....	6,330	359	6,140	9,960	720	19,400	57,700	2,890	450,000
19.....	6,350	400	a 6,900	9,670	612	16,000	57,400	2,790	432,000
20.....	6,430	390	6,770	10,100	600	16,400	55,900	2,820	426,000
21.....	6,350	320	5,490	10,400	830	23,300	54,600	2,800	a 410,000
22.....	6,250	308	5,200	10,900	950	28,000	52,400	2,670	378,000
23.....	6,230	280	4,710	11,700	1,650	52,100	48,000	2,500	324,000
24.....	6,000	275	4,460	13,200	2,300	a 82,000	45,300	2,610	319,000
25.....	6,150	290	4,820	17,700	2,860	137,000	41,600	2,410	271,000
26.....	7,340	370	a 7,300	25,400	4,750	326,000	39,000	2,210	233,000
27.....	8,560	600	13,900	27,600	5,330	397,000	36,500	2,080	205,000
28.....	9,000	950	23,100	29,200	5,070	400,000	32,800	1,900	a 170,000
29.....	9,280	1,260	31,600	32,700	5,300	468,000	29,000	1,840	144,000
30.....	10,100	1,730	47,200	39,900	5,740	618,000	25,800	1,820	127,000
31.....	--	--	--	45,100	5,720	697,000	--	--	--
Total.	228,280	--	442,230	491,600	--	4,226,300	345,000	--	10,539,000
	July			August			September		
1.....	23,600	1,610	103,000	12,100	6,300	c 206,000	6,650	6,000	108,000
2.....	22,200	1,450	86,900	13,200	20,500	731,000	6,130	5,500	a 91,000
3.....	21,100	1,350	76,900	14,000	16,300	616,000	5,560	5,300	79,600
4.....	19,900	1,300	a 70,000	15,200	10,000	410,000	5,210	6,400	90,000
5.....	18,000	1,200	a 58,000	14,700	14,800	587,000	5,010	4,000	54,100
6.....	17,100	1,130	52,200	14,100	11,000	419,000	4,840	2,020	26,400
7.....	16,100	1,020	44,300	12,700	6,500	223,000	4,610	1,540	19,200
8.....	15,200	1,000	41,000	11,400	4,230	130,000	4,400	1,100	a 13,000
9.....	14,100	900	34,300	10,300	4,850	135,000	4,220	740	8,430
10.....	13,300	1,000	35,900	9,440	5,000	127,000	4,060	546	5,990
11.....	13,100	2,080	73,600	9,100	5,550	136,000	3,970	600	6,430
12.....	12,100	1,200	a 39,000	8,860	4,750	114,000	3,850	510	5,300
13.....	11,500	830	25,800	8,540	2,500	57,600	3,740	470	a 4,700
14.....	11,600	1,080	33,800	8,680	1,800	42,200	3,590	400	3,880
15.....	12,500	2,380	80,300	8,350	1,650	37,200	3,700	369	3,690
16.....	12,500	2,500	a 84,000	7,980	1,900	40,900	3,610	340	3,310
17.....	11,500	1,500	a 47,000	7,380	2,900	57,800	3,610	332	3,240
18.....	11,900	1,700	a 54,000	6,450	2,450	42,700	3,500	284	2,680
19.....	11,200	1,200	a 36,000	6,080	1,500	24,600	3,330	222	2,000
20.....	12,100	1,310	42,800	5,810	1,300	20,400	3,370	210	a 1,900
21.....	13,100	1,800	63,700	5,560	2,500	a 38,000	3,380	200	1,830
22.....	12,900	2,010	70,000	6,090	--	b 210,000	3,400	260	2,390
23.....	11,900	2,530	81,300	6,510	--	b 160,000	3,270	210	1,860
24.....	10,900	1,900	55,900	5,920	4,250	87,900	3,240	170	1,490
25.....	10,300	1,680	46,700	5,500	3,400	50,500	3,190	170	a 1,500
26.....	9,410	1,300	a 33,000	5,300	2,700	38,600	3,150	160	a 1,500
27.....	8,800	710	16,900	5,640	7,700	c 144,000	3,150	190	1,620
28.....	8,280	1,290	28,800	7,040	27,900	s 538,000	3,150	160	1,360
29.....	7,770	980	20,600	6,130	14,700	243,000	3,130	170	1,440
30.....	7,360	620	12,300	5,900	7,400	118,000	3,140	176	1,490
31.....	9,040	3,150	sc 84,300	5,870	4,600	72,900	--	--	--
Total.	410,360	--	1,632,300	269,830	--	5,838,300	119,160	--	549,330

Total discharge for year (cfs-days)..... 3,915,880

Total load for year (tons)..... 24,898,160

e Estimated.

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

c Computed from partly estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER AT HITE, UTAH--Continued

COLORADO RIVER AT HITE, UTAH--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S<sub>1</sub>, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	
Oct. 18, 1952	2:15 p.m.	4,980	62	442	1,540	14	16	19	22	29	53	94	94
Nov. 22	3:30 p.m.	6,150	43	712	2,080	--	17	--	22	37	77	98	100
Dec. 1	3:45 p.m.	5,980	36	549	1,820	--	15	--	19	36	75	98	100
Jan. 25, 1953	4:00 p.m.	5,980	40	405	1,980	--	26	--	38	59	81	98	100
Feb. 20	2:30 p.m.	5,770	39	255	--	--	--	--	--	67	85	98	100
Feb. 24	3:30 p.m.	5,630	38	312	--	--	--	--	--	72	87	98	100
Mar. 16	4:30 p.m.	8,880	50	1,130	3,380	--	31	--	42	--	68	95	100
Apr. 2	2:45 p.m.	7,750	57	550	3,200	--	39	--	53	--	66	89	97
Apr. 18	4:15 p.m.	6,270	57	353	4,180	--	54	--	70	--	79	92	100
May 1	1:25 p.m.	12,800	58	2,680	5,200	--	21	--	34	--	71	96	99
May 26	11:45 a.m.	25,600	65	4,670	4,840	--	23	--	42	--	81	94	99
May 26	11:45 a.m.	25,600	65	4,670	4,670	--	10	--	41	--	81	94	99
June 1	6:15 p.m.	41,500	63	4,280	3,380	--	24	--	43	--	69	93	96
June 9	6:00 p.m.	38,100	64	2,330	3,270	--	18	--	32	--	56	85	97
June 18	6:25 p.m.	57,200	70	2,750	3,940	--	30	--	40	--	67	86	98
June 27	7:50 p.m.	35,700	72	1,880	6,420	--	14	--	26	--	57	86	100
July 11	5:10 p.m.	12,700	79	1,630	3,340	--	25	--	46	--	70	89	99
July 26	7:45 p.m.	8,050	80	1,740	5,310	--	51	--	77	--	90	95	100
Aug. 3	5:45 p.m.	14,800	78	12,500	4,120	--	53	--	76	--	95	99	100
Aug. 3	5:45 p.m.	14,900	78	12,500	3,820	--	1	--	78	--	95	99	100
Aug. 18	6:00 p.m.	6,250	79	2,120	3,430	--	59	74	87	93	96	97	100
Aug. 22	5:40 p.m.	a 6,080	78	19,300	2,800	--	43	50	60	79	95	97	100
Sept. 15	4:15 p.m.	3,700	77	3,36	4,230	--	25	30	36	40	52	80	99

a. Mean daily discharge.

## ESCALANTE RIVER BASIN

## ESCALANTE RIVER AT MOUTH NEAR ESCALANTE, UTAH

LOCATION.—At gaging station in Kane County, 5.1 miles upstream from mouth, 2.2 miles downstream from Davis Gulch, and about 50 miles southeast of Escalante, Garfield County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, March 1951 to September 1952.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 681 (sum) ppm Sept. 11, 1952; minimum, 208 ppm May 11-20, 1952.

Harness: Maximum, 368 ppm Aug. 21-26, 1952; minimum, 148 ppm June 4-5, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,420 micromhos July 11, 1952; minimum daily, 281 micromhos May 16, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 93°F July 3, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. No discharge records available for this station.

## ESCALANTE RIVER BASIN

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Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953																			
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Dis- solved solids (residue at 180°C)	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per day	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Calci- um, mag- nesium per neutron	Per- cent so- dium adsorp- tion	So- dium conduc- tance (micro- mhos at 25°C)
Oct. 1-10, 1952	--	66	--	21	28	182	121	--	35	0.6	0.11	404	0.55	238	109	20	0.8	619	--	8.1	
Oct. 11-20	21	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	386	.52	--	--	--	--	622	--	596	
Oct. 21-30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	360	.49	--	--	--	--	556	--	--	
Nov. 1-2, 4, 7-9, 12-15	14	--	76	17	24	214	101	26	.9	--	--	370	.50	255	80	17	.6	593	7.4	593	
Nov. 14-15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	474	7.3	453	
Dec. 20	28	52	16	22	178	--	--	--	--	--	--	302	.41	196	50	20	.7	474	7.3	442	
Jan. 7, 31, 1953	28	49	16	21	172	74	22	.8	--	--	--	265	.39	190	49	19	.7	453	7.8	442	
Feb. 18	--	49	15	20	168	--	--	--	--	--	--	267	.36	185	47	19	.6	453	7.4	442	
Mar. 15-20	24	47	16	23	160	66	26	.2	--	--	--	280	.38	183	52	21	.7	453	8.0	470	
Mar. 23-30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	283	.40	--	--	--	--	470	--	--	
Apr. 4-10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	327	.44	--	--	--	--	524	--	547	
Apr. 11-17	18	64	13	26	176	83	32	1.4	--	--	--	335	.46	216	72	21	.8	524	7.7	562	
Apr. 21-30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	344	.47	--	--	--	--	562	--	--	
May 1-10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	363	.48	--	--	--	--	575	--	--	
May 11-20	16	56	21	30	170	91	34	5.4	--	--	--	354	.48	224	85	23	.9	574	8.0	525	
May 21-30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	330	.45	--	--	--	--	525	--	--	
June 1-2, 4, 6, 9-10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	357	.49	--	--	--	--	576	--	--	
June 11-20	17	52	23	33	166	110	39	.2	--	--	--	366	.50	226	90	24	1.0	591	7.8	607	
June 22-30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	379	.52	--	--	--	--	591	--	--	
July 1-10	--	50	24	33	158	114	40	.2	.12	.12	.12	372	.51	235	95	24	1.0	594	7.9	787	
July 20-31	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	372	.52	--	--	--	--	594	--	--	

ESCALANTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

ESCALANTE RIVER AT MOUTH NEAR ESCALANTE, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

## ESCALANTE RIVER BASIN

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## ESCALANTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## ESCALANTE RIVER AT MOUTH NEAR ESCALANTE, UTAH--Continued

Temperaturé ("F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	61	59		--	--	--	--	54	72	79	75	77
2	59	61		--	--	--	--	60	a 54	87	--	a 65
3	53	--		--	--	--	--	61	--	85	79	77
4	65	45		--	--	--	50	68	71	a 67	80	76
5	58	--		--	--	--	--	58	--	--	82	a 68
6	--	--		--	--	--	--	--	63	84	72	--
7	66	58		44	--	--	62	--	--	83	--	--
8	67	51		--	--	--	57	70	--	85	--	--
9	55	48		--	--	--	60	a 50	79	a 69	--	78
10	--	--		--	--	--	59	52	77	--	77	78
11	67	--		--	--	--	--	57	75	85	70	77
12	66	54		--	--	--	--	71	82	--	78	a 63
13	a 54	56		--	--	43	--	a 51	74	--	79	--
14	66	--		--	--	--	--	68	--	--	76	--
15	64	--		--	--	--	--	72	89	--	a 69	--
16	54	--		--	--	56	--	60	77	--	--	--
17	60	--		--	--	58	57	--	64	--	--	74
18	52	--		--	--	59	64	68	66	--	--	a 62
19	62	--		--	--	56	a 45	72	84	--	76	a 63
20	52	--	39	--	--	a 44	69	76	64	85	a 68	--
21	a 47	--		--	--	--	75	69	--	84	78	70
22	62	--		--	--	--	74	57	86	85	70	71
23	63	--		--	--	59	73	55	--	85	--	73
24	a 45	--		--	--	58	64	65	86	76	78	74
25	65	--		--	--	--	59	--	a 62	72	77	68
26	63	--		--	--	65	--	60	--	--	70	a 65
27	a 44	--		--	--	68	--	73	--	85	78	--
28	--	--		--	--	49	65	74	--	87	70	--
29	--	--		--	--	--	67	75	76	83	a 68	71
30	58	--		--	--	69	53	a 56	77	80	--	59
31	--	--		35	--	--	--	--	--	82	78	--
Average	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	64	--	--	--	--

a Collected before 5 a. m.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLANCO, N. MEX.

LOCATION.—At highway bridge, half a mile downstream from gaging station which is 1 mile upstream from Canyon Largo and 1½ miles east of Blanco, San Juan County, N.M., approximately (at gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1945 to September 1953. Water temperatures: March 1949 to September 1953.

Sediment records: Maximum observed, 615 micromhos Mar. 9; minimum observed, 114 micromhos June 5.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 615 micromhos Mar. 9; minimum observed, 114 micromhos June 5.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 81°F July 1; minimum, 80°F July 1-10.

Hardness: Maximum daily, 13,700 ppm Aug. 3; minimum daily, 8 ppm Nov. 4, Jan. 10.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 48,400 tons Au. 3; minimum daily, 4 tons Nov. 3-4.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 352 ppm Nov. 21-30; minimum, 53 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 615 micromhos Mar. 9; minimum observed, 114 micromhos June 5.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 81°F July 1; minimum, 80°F July 1-8, 1949.

Hardness: Maximum, 680 ppm Aug. 16, 1947; minimum, 48 ppm Aug. 16, 1947.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 615 micromhos Aug. 16, 1947; minimum, 107 micromhos June 20, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 81°F July 7, 1953; minimum, freezing point on many days during winter months.

Hardness: Maximum, 680 ppm Aug. 16, 1947; minimum, 48 ppm Aug. 16, 1947.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 615 micromhos Aug. 16, 1947; minimum, 107 micromhos June 20, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 81°F July 7, 1953; minimum, freezing daily, 8°F Nov. 4, 1952; Jan. 10, 1953.

Sediment concentrations (1949-53): Maximum daily, 20,000 ppm Mar. 15, 1952; minimum daily, 1 ton Sept. 20-25, 1951.

Sediment loads (1949-53): Maximum daily, 142,000 tons Mar. 23, 1952; minimum daily, 1 ton Sept. 20-25, 1951.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. No appreciable inflow between gaging station and sampling point. Stage discharge affected by ice Dec. 22-26, Jan. 7-9. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Chloride (Cl)	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Sodium adsorption ratio	Percent sodium	Col- or	
														Tons per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day							
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	321	16	0.01	36	7.6	27	3.0	130	68	4.8	0.2	0.5	0.05	225	0.31	195	121	14	32	1.1	359	7.7	
Oct. 11-20 .....	227	--	--	44	8.8	33	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	264	.36	162	146	--	--	33	1.2	419	--
Oct. 21-31 .....	211	--	--	44	9.3	36	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	276	.38	157	148	--	--	35	1.3	440	--
Nov. 1-10 .....	206	--	--	44	10	39	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	307	.42	211	151	--	--	37	1.4	476	--
Nov. 11-20 .....	255	--	--	49	10	39	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	306	.42	211	164	--	--	34	1.3	465	--
Nov. 21-30 .....	174	--	--	57	12	42	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	352	.48	165	192	--	--	32	1.3	535	--
Dec. 1-10 .....	274	--	--	56	12	41	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	344	.47	254	189	--	--	32	1.3	521	--
Dec. 11-21 .....	276	--	--	49	9.5	35	2.7	142	101	7.2	.3	.6	.09	292	.40	218	162	--	--	32	1.2	455	--
Jan. 1-15, 1953 ..	258	15	.01	46	9.8	35	2.7	--	--	--	--	--	--	293	.40	204	156	39	32	1.2	449	8.0	
Jan. 16-20 .....	284	--	--	48	9.1	35	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	292	.40	224	158	--	--	33	1.2	446	--
Jan. 21-31 .....	314	--	--	47	9.2	35	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	296	.40	251	156	--	--	33	1.2	453	--
Feb. 1-10 .....	355	--	--	47	9.2	41	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	291	.40	279	156	--	--	36	1.4	469	--
Feb. 11-20 .....	229	--	--	51	10	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	310	.42	192	166	--	--	36	1.4	498	--
Feb. 21-28 .....	255	--	--	54	10	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	312	.42	215	176	--	--	33	1.3	502	--



## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLANCO, N. MEX.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 /Once-daily measurement, generally taken between 11 a. m. and 6 p. m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	--	52	31	--	39	a 38	56	53	59	78	a 71	73	
2	--	50	32	--	37	40	54	52	59	80	a 73	72	
3	--	49	a 33	--	35	39	57	50	61	b 80	76	72	
4	a 56	49	33	--	41	36	57	54	59	--	77	a 63	
5	a 60	49	a 32	--	38	b 38	56	60	60	--	78	70	
6	65	49	33	--	40	b 46	53	63	60	b 77	78	b 70	
7	70	34	--	--	40	43	49	63	62	78	78	70	
8	70	35	--	34	38	46	46	63	64	78	79	--	
9	a 53	48	--	34	38	50	49	56	67	78	77	68	
10	65	48	32	a 33	34	51	50	--	65	79	76	71	
11	69	47	32	a 33	37	52	46	--	64	80	77	b 70	
12	65	45	32	38	37	--	46	51	a 64	73	78	a 66	
13	55	47	32	35	39	48	47	59	70	--	79	71	
14	53	45	32	b 33	40	47	53	61	70	76	78	73	
15	a 50	44	32	37	41	44	55	59	71	b 76	a 70	74	
16	a 55	43	32	34	40	48	70	59	71	--	74	72	
17	--	39	32	35	42	51	69	56	67	--	79	72	
18	a 55	39	33	34	37	52	69	62	70	--	77	70	
19	a 60	35	33	35	a 33	50	70	63	67	--	76	--	
20	--	34	33	35	a 33	45	69	66	a 60	--	77	--	
21	--	34	--	34	36	44	70	68	72	--	75	68	
22	53	34	--	35	37	44	60	72	75	74	74	70	
23	54	31	--	35	37	50	b 58	--	75	77	73	68	
24	54	31	--	a 32	36	54	59	--	75	78	76	67	
25	53	31	--	a 33	40	53	60	b 61	74	78	b 76	66	
26	55	31	--	35	43	59	60	64	72	79	76	67	
27	53	31	--	36	44	58	59	a 59	a 68	81	74	67	
28	54	31	--	39	40	61	54	b 57	75	a 77	--	65	
29	55	33	--	35	--	55	52	58	b 71	80	b 75	66	
30	52	32	--	34	--	51	54	56	76	--	76	65	
31	53	--	--	a 33	--	52	--	58	--	a 70	b 75	--	
Aver-	age	--	40	--	--	38	48	57	59	67	--	76	69

a Reading obtained before 11 a.m.

b Reading obtained after 6 p.m.

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## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLANCO, N. MEX.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	398	70	a 75	167	50	23	201	29	16
2.....	377	60	a 61	167	31	41	256	33	23
3.....	345	50	a 47	169	9	4	298	33	27
4.....	337	48	44	190	8	4	294	35	28
5.....	329	62	55	201	11	6	273	24	18
6.....	325	72	63	195	30	16	273	19	14
7.....	294	22	17	187	24	12	280	20	a 15
8.....	280	21	16	190	32	16	287	25	a 19
9.....	266	22	16	233	11	7	309	30	a 25
10....	259	38	27	361	55	54	273	28	21
11....	243	56	37	373	57	57	266	12	9
12....	221	40	24	298	62	50	266	9	6
13....	218	20	12	203	45	25	269	25	18
14....	230	22	14	212	15	9	287	15	12
15....	209	21	12	212	13	7	294	11	9
16....	239	22	14	230	14	9	305	26	21
17....	230	22	a 14	287	18	14	313	29	25
18....	230	22	14	273	14	10	325	29	25
19....	236	18	11	266	47	34	349	33	31
20....	218	17	a 10	198	56	30	353	32	30
21....	218	17	a 10	151	54	22	333		
22....	230	16	10	184	60	30	275		
23....	224	15	9	203	41	22	270		
24....	227	15	9	249	34	23	265		
25....	230	15	9	213	28	16	240		
26....	236	13	8	178	32	15	240		
27....	227	13	8	130	50	18	230		
28....	212	14	8	114	56	17	230		
29....	182	55	27	139	59	22	220		
30....	169	15	7	179	46	22	230		
31....	167	63	28	--	--	--	240		
Total.	7,806	--	716	6,352	--	608	8,544	--	579
	January			February			March		
1.....	260			300	58	47	287	48	37
2.....	260			310	14	12	329	23	20
3.....	240			330	11	10	313	204	172
4.....	230		e 19	350	37	35	298	134	108
5.....	220			377	87	89	256	39	27
6.....	230			390	126	133	221	24	14
7.....	250	38	26	401	65	70	252	20	14
8.....	250	74	50	398	59	63	369	1,680	s 2,050
9.....	240	58	38	361	49	48	515	4,250	5,910
10....	260	8	6	329	68	60	684	3,090	s 5,620
11....	270	12	9	305	100	82	730	2,750	5,420
12....	280	44	33	256	25	17	730	2,800	a 5,500
13....	294	47	37	243	21	14	700	3,130	5,920
14....	300	53	43	221	21	13	630	2,250	3,830
15....	290	58	45	226	14	9	550	1,040	1,540
16....	280	57	43	221	14	8	570	500	770
17....	270	63	46	212	11	6	600	380	616
18....	280	20	15	214	14	8	650	680	1,190
19....	290	113	88	206	19	11	650	1,450	2,540
20....	300	98	79	182	12	6	650	2,020	3,550
21....	320	72	62	222	125	75	600	1,000	1,620
22....	341	53	49	243	44	29	550	350	520
23....	340	35	32	258	60	42	500	230	310
24....	330	12	11	275	18	13	550	130	193
25....	320	15	13	301	16	13	600	130	211
26....	310	31	26	251	10	7	638	375	646
27....	300	40	32	255	9	6	794	720	1,540
28....	300	90	73	236	16	10	878	770	1,830
29....	305	102	84	--	--	--	1,200	1,230	3,990
30....	300	32	26	--	--	--	1,460	1,360	5,360
31....	290	14	11	--	--	--	1,120	930	2,810
Total.	8,750	--	1,091	7,873	--	936	18,874	--	63,878

e Estimated.

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLANCO, N. MEX.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)		Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)		Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)		Suspended sediment
	Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	
1.....	801	410	887	1,560	79	333	3,460	880	8,220
2.....	656	180	319	1,330	86	309	3,220	620	5,390
3.....	656	200	354	1,120	84	254	3,460	650	6,070
4.....	686	200	370	1,010	74	202	3,460	750	7,010
5.....	815	245	539	928	50	125	3,300	540	4,810
6.....	780	160	337	871	46	108	3,000	330	2,670
7.....	968	210	549	885	63	150	2,780	320	2,400
8.....	952	180	463	1,120	100	302	2,580	230	1,600
9.....	836	800	1,810	1,380	127	473	2,510	250	1,690
10.....	899	1,580	3,840	1,510	130	a 530	3,000	420	3,400
11.....	1,120	3,150	9,530	1,330	100	a 360	3,220	410	3,560
12.....	1,020	1,250	3,440	1,120	64	194	3,380	500	4,560
13.....	731	470	928	1,020	37	102	3,780	570	5,820
14.....	731	440	868	936	37	94	3,620	510	4,380
15.....	780	310	653	850	30	69	3,460	450	4,200
16.....	752	225	457	871	35	82	2,850	240	1,850
17.....	913	295	727	952	47	121	2,440	160	1,050
18.....	1,080	300	875	944	48	122	2,580	750	5,220
19.....	892	125	301	984	68	181	2,200	260	1,540
20.....	913	160	394	984	90	239	2,320	240	1,500
21.....	1,330	590	2,120	1,080	77	225	1,760	134	637
22.....	1,560	890	3,750	1,460	350	1,380	1,510	90	367
23.....	1,760	1,240	5,890	2,260	1,200	a 7,300	1,330	69	248
24.....	1,860	1,140	5,730	3,000	1,900	a 15,000	1,200	55	178
25.....	1,860	1,030	5,170	3,140	1,530	13,000	1,200	80	259
26.....	2,030	1,270	6,960	3,540	2,150	20,500	992	74	198
27.....	2,200	1,270	7,540	4,130	1,950	21,700	857	31	72
28.....	2,380	1,580	10,200	4,500	2,340	28,400	773	29	61
29.....	2,510	1,110	7,520	4,990	2,120	28,600	692	29	54
30.....	1,920	250	1,300	3,870	1,140	11,900	656	32	57
31.....	--	--	--	3,330	620	6,520	--	--	--
Total.	36,391	--	83,821	56,975	--	157,875	71,590	--	79,671
	July			August			September		
1.....	608	31	51	932	6,260	s 16,000	224	42	25
2.....	590	37	59	1,120	6,100	18,400	206	37	21
3.....	490	28	37	1,270	13,700	s 48,400	179	34	16
4.....	445	25	a 30	871	4,000	9,410	155	35	15
5.....	421	30	a 34	548	900	1,330	144	30	12
6.....	398	35	38	480	360	467	130	24	8
7.....	470	47	60	408	215	237	136	27	10
8.....	470	64	81	349	160	151	134	30	a 11
9.....	353	1,120	1,070	309	150	125	132	30	11
10.....	313	600	507	294	115	91	126	26	9
11.....	345	220	205	317	90	77	121	23	8
12.....	361	240	234	309	110	92	119	26	8
13.....	455	500	a 610	262	110	78	119	25	8
14.....	412	310	345	269	730	530	115	25	8
15.....	412	2,600	2,890	243	350	230	119	27	9
16.....	390	1,200	a 1,300	221	160	95	126	30	10
17.....	450	1,000	a 1,200	206	95	53	115	43	13
18.....	1,420	3,900	a 15,000	201	85	46	121	36	12
19.....	1,330	3,700	a 13,000	215	70	41	117	36	a 11
20.....	1,420	4,800	a 18,000	227	95	58	108	37	a 11
21.....	1,020	6,100	16,800	212	60	34	108	38	11
22.....	717	1,600	3,100	224	120	73	108	39	11
23.....	801			246	190	126	100	35	9
24.....	794			276	115	86	94	40	10
25.....	548			262	95	67	82	39	9
26.....	465	--	b 2,000	239	75	48	83	38	9
27.....	435			221	70	42	82	42	9
28.....	390			239	80	a 52	76	47	10
29.....	390			309	95	79	70	66	12
30.....	662			287	90	70	75	45	9
31.....	704	6,400	12,200	259	65	59	--	--	--
Total.	18,479	--	102,851	11,825	--	96,647	3,624	--	335

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 257,083

Total load for year (tons) ..... 589,008

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLANCO, N. MEX.--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment for water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	
Mar. 9, 1953.....	4:00 p.m.	626	50	6,470	4,490	86	98	96	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
Mar. 11, 1953.....	12:00 m.	710	49	2,960	3,380	86	94	96	96	97	98	99	SPWCM
Mar. 21, 1953.....	4:00 p.m.	638	44	662	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	S
Mar. 31, 1953.....	4:30 p.m.	1,020	52	887	2,240	65	87	98	98	99	100	--	SPWCM
Apr. 23, 1953.....	7:00 p.m.	1,980	58	1,270	2,580	28	49	81	93	99	99	--	SPWCM
Apr. 28, 1953.....	3:30 p.m.	2,940	54	1,530	2,380	25	35	65	82	98	100	--	VPWCM
May 25, 1953.....	7:00 p.m.	3,380	61	1,380	1,540	13	17	22	32	42	56	75	SBWCM
June 1, 1953.....	4:30 p.m.	4,040	59	1,320	--	--	--	--	--	35	54	73	S
June 13, 1953.....	4:00 p.m.	4,040	70	706	--	--	--	--	--	41	61	86	SPWCM
July 9, 1953.....	6:00 p.m.	317	78	2,440	4,210	94	99	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 21, 1953.....	2:50 p.m.	920	70	5,460	5,020	74	98	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 31, 1953.....	10:30 a.m.	632	70	6,520	4,100	79	99	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
Aug. 14, 1953.....	5:30 p.m.	236	78	704	1,730	88	98	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM



Apr. 1-10, 1953		473	7.9	453	7.1	156	7.5	526	.56	526	7.5	1.0	54	.82	271	139	11	.4	605	7.4	627	--
Apr. 11-20	.....	1,109	--	1,109	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	374	--	--	--
May 1-10	.....	626	--	626	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	476	--	--	--
May 11-20	.....	412	7.6	412	7.6	149	12	32	15	2	301	.41	.509	--	244	122	21	.6	562	7.9	--	--
May 21-30	.....	2,255	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	390	.51	.434	--	--	--	--	--	316	--	--	--
May 29-31, June 1-10.		2,701	--	31	4.2	14	80	49	5.5	.5	147	.20	.260	95	30	24	.6	235	7.9	--	--	
June 11-20		3,186	5.3	1,010	--	--	--	--	--	--	257	.35	.101	--	--	--	--	--	397	--	--	--
June 21-30		3,186	5.3	447	--	--	--	--	--	--	360	.48	.434	--	--	--	--	--	440	--	--	--
July 1-10		432	10	82	14	38	153	182	21	.9	434	.59	.506	262	136	24	1.0	645	7.4	--	--	
July 11-20		432	10	82	14	38	153	182	21	.9	438	.60	.452	--	--	--	--	--	632	--	--	--
July 21-31		382	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	791	1.08	1.320	--	--	--	--	--	1,080	--	--	--
Aug. 1-10		898	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	440	.60	.560	--	--	--	--	--	859	7.2	--	--
Aug. 11-20		471	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	827	.85	.189	355	212	27	1.4	888	7.2	--	--	
Aug. 21-31		99.9	12	111	19	175	59	--	--	--	762	1.04	.101	--	--	--	--	--	969	--	--	--
Sept. 1-10		49.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	783	1.06	.104	--	--	--	--	--	1,020	--	--	--
Sept. 11-20		48.9	12	140	24	210	377	31	.6	.796	1.08	.115	448	276	26	1.5	1,080	7.4	--	--	--	
Sept. 21-30		53.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	808	1.10	.198	448	--	--	--	--	1,120	--	--	--
Weighted average		516	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	355	0.46	487	--	--	--	--	--	501	--	--	--

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## ANIMAS RIVER AT FARMINGTON, N. MEX.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 /Once-daily measurement generally taken between 11 a.m. and 6 p.m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	a 58	53	32	32	40	44	54	a 43	a 55	b 73	b 68	b 72
2	65	51	32	32	41	38	55	a 43	60	b 74	74	b 70
3	65	49	a 31	33	b 39	39	b 58	50	b 59	b 74	76	b 70
4	63	50	31	34	45	41	55	b 54	b 62	b 75	a 64	71
5	62	51	31	--	39	45	b 53	a 44	b 57	78	a 65	70
6	60	50	32	b 31	a 35	b 45	b 47	b 63	b 55	74	a 63	70
7	60	51	35	32	45	42	b 45	b 61	b 61	b 77	b 73	72
8	60	51	34	b 32	38	42	b 46	b 63	b 63	b 74	b 75	b 72
9	a 52	47	34	35	39	b 40	48	b 58	a 54	b 72	b 73	76
10	a 54	48	31	b 34	44	51	48	b 59	61	b 74	b 72	71
11	60	45	b 31	40	39	a 43	b 47	b 51	b 60	b 76	b 73	70
12	60	46	34	36	b 38	49	48	b 56	b 61	b 75	80	b 71
13	59	47	35	40	40	45	40	b 54	b 63	b 79	b 75	b 72
14	58	b 45	b 33	38	39	a 36	b 46	b 60	b 67	76	b 76	b 73
15	56	42	b 33	b 35	41	44	53	56	b 64	74	b 75	b 72
16	55	40	35	34	42	b 51	b 51	b 58	b 61	b 73	b 75	b 72
17	56	40	36	35	42	b 50	b 50	--	64	70	b 74	b 72
18	57	39	36	40	40	b 54	55	64	a 59	b 70	b 76	
19	57	b 36	35	b 36	33	a 44	b 56	64	a 57	b 71	b 74	b 69
20	b 56	40	35	39	34	a 45	59	b 63	b 65	b 74	b 76	a 66
21	54	40	37	37	34	b 45	b 60	b 64	a 62	a 64	b 73	b 69
22	56	38	b 32	38	40	a 36	60	b 67	b 69	a 69	b 73	69
23	56	40	32	b 39	38	b 41	a 51	b 64	b 66	b 76	a 60	b 68
24	a 49	39	33	40	40	55	b 50	b 59	b 68	b 74	--	b 69
25	b 51	34	37	34	42	b 54	b 47	b 61	b 69	b 74	b 75	b 67
26	53	33	32	40	42	57	a 50	a 54	b 68	b 75	76	b 67
27	52	31	32	b 39	b 41	b 49	b 51	a 54	b 70	b 74	b 73	b 67
28	53	31	31	38	45	57	a 48	a 54	b 72	b 78	b 73	b 69
29	53	31	--	39	--	54	51	a 56	b 72	b 73	b 71	b 64
30	54	33	31	37	--	b 50	b 45	a 46	b 72	b 71	b 72	b 64
31	53	--	33	39	--	b 53	--	a 59	--	70	b 72	--
Aver-	age	57	42	33	36	40	46	51	57	63	74	72
												70

a Reading obtained before 11 a.m.

b Reading obtained after 6 p.m.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## ANIMAS RIVER AT FARMINGTON, N. MEX.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	
1.....	346			185			230
2.....	327			188			224
3.....	322			199			220
4.....	295			210			202
5.....	268			224	27	15	202
6.....	248			217			206
7.....	236			202			217
8.....	236			217			232
9.....	228			268	75	54	230
10....	228			295	240	191	200
11....	224			277	75	56	200
12....	224			264	82	58	220
13....	220			256	38	26	240
14....	199		17	248	32	21	248
15....	195			240	28	18	256
16....	195			256	19	13	248
17....	182			264	25	18	268
18....	178			256	95	66	295
19....	178			232	83	52	308
20....	172			228	65	40	299
21....	172		11	224	38	23	299
22....	178			232	34	21	277
23....	185			248	32	21	252
24....	188			260	30	21	220
25....	188			280	53	37	190
26....	175			244	56	37	190
27....	166			220	76	45	200
28....	162			210	90	51	200
29....	172			210	73	41	190
30....	168			210	72	41	170
31....	182			--	--	--	180
Total.	6,657	--	432	7,044	--	1,071	7,113
							--
							1,209
	January		February		March		
1.....	190	77	40	240	70	45	244
2.....	190	170	87	232	45	28	256
3.....	200	56	30	220	43	26	240
4.....	220	35	21	240	150	97	220
5.....	230	40	a 25	252	163	111	213
6.....	240	40	26	260	158	111	217
7.....	273	60	44	256	258	178	244
8.....	252	39	27	268	635	459	268
9.....	230	50	31	273	540	398	304
10....	210	58	33	244	170	112	318
11....	210	143	81	260	82	58	346
12....	230	107	66	248	30	20	351
13....	240	83	54	244	46	30	351
14....	282	163	124	252	72	49	342
15....	299	150	121	252	60	41	327
16....	252	80	54	248	61	41	299
17....	236	72	46	228	55	34	286
18....	228	63	39	240	65	42	322
19....	240	33	21	244	200	132	337
20....	260	35	25	244	340	224	322
21....	282	55	42	210	165	94	342
22....	264	66	47	199	64	34	337
23....	268	44	32	199	80	43	322
24....	260	55	39	217	80	47	299
25....	248	70	47	236	115	73	299
26....	256	65	45	240	103	67	308
27....	244	52	34	217	92	54	308
28....	244	100	66	228	105	65	322
29....	224	65	39	--	--	--	366
30....	232	62	39	--	--	--	495
31....	240	67	43	--	--	--	471
Total.	7,474	--	1,468	6,691	--	2,713	9,676
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							12,152

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## ANIMAS RIVER AT FARMINGTON, N. MEX.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
	Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	
1.....	454	400	490	950	250	641	2,800	960	7,260
2.....	425	240	275	794	215	461	2,800	860	6,500
3.....	403	240	261	660	160	285	2,720	880	6,460
4.....	414	290	324	564	129	196	2,980	930	7,480
5.....	442	310	370	483	76	99	3,070	1,180	9,780
6.....	450	310	384	454	59	72	2,640	500	3,560
7.....	558	900	1,360	425	64	73	2,320	380	2,380
8.....	564	1,380	2,100	477	71	91	2,030	330	1,810
9.....	513	1,100	1,520	625	99	167	1,930	370	1,930
10.....	495	590	789	828	164	367	2,480	630	4,220
11.....	495	650	869	716	152	294	3,070	720	5,970
12.....	483	550	717	604	75	122	3,340	810	7,300
13.....	425	260	298	507	53	73	5,200	1,650	23,300
14.....	403	185	201	398	35	38	4,600	850	10,600
15.....	419	120	136	332	22	20	3,940	700	7,450
16.....	392	100	106	327	17	15	2,980	470	3,780
17.....	431	120	140	318	17	a 15	2,480	420	2,810
18.....	513	200	277	295	20	16	2,250	350	2,130
19.....	483	180	235	295	26	21	2,180	280	1,350
20.....	483	150	196	313	31	26	1,920	163	801
21.....	564	325	495	351	39	37	1,340	105	380
22.....	688	580	1,080	489	122	161	1,290	128	448
23.....	882	1,100	2,620	1,190	1,250	4,020	1,310	180	637
24.....	1,090	1,500	4,410	1,930	3,200	16,700	1,210	175	572
25.....	1,160	1,170	3,660	2,100	1,700	9,640	1,110	110	330
26.....	1,220	835	2,750	2,250	1,350	8,200	1,060	56	180
27.....	1,370	950	3,510	2,720	1,700	12,500	891	54	130
28.....	1,500	780	3,160	3,340	2,000	18,000	667	44	79
29.....	1,500	700	2,840	4,050	1,650	18,000	625	32	54
30.....	1,120	425	1,290	2,890	940	7,330	597	25	40
31.....	--	--	--	2,400	780	5,050	--	--	--
Total.	20,348	--	36,863	34,075	--	102,730	67,730	--	119,599
	July			August			September		
1.....	590	67	107	855	10,800	s 25,600	83	13	3
2.....	604	100	163	940	13,600	s 40,500	62	10	2
3.....	525	83	118	810	1,250	2,730	52	9	1
4.....	471	45	57	681	600	1,100	60	9	1
5.....	442	30	36	577	400	623	46	18	2
6.....	414	24	27	513	343	475	41	30	a 3
7.....	387	18	19	425	253	290	37	35	3
8.....	382	18	19	299	158	128	36		
9.....	337	16	15	256	123	85	35		
10.....	322	17	15	206	100	56	37		
11.....	290	19	15	182	73	36	36		
12.....	286	16	12	169	58	26	40		
13.....	273	21	15	139	92	35	43		
14.....	252	34	23	118	67	21	48		
15.....	252	14	10	102	82	23	60		
16.....	260	50	35	89	54	13	81		
17.....	496	1,320	s 2,220	78	47	10	58		
18.....	681	1,800	3,310	53	43	6	55		
19.....	802	1,130	2,450	33	32	3	58		
20.....	723	1,150	2,240	36	41	4	55		
21.....	625	400	675	34	37	3	52		
22.....	544	270	397	33	35	3	46		
23.....	495	230	307	31	67	6	53		
24.....	459	180	223	31	185	15	50		
25.....	351	135	128	28	185	14	44		
26.....	308	134	111	28	62	5	41		
27.....	268	88	64	29	123	10	43		
28.....	236	75	48	30	75	6	43		
29.....	224	84	51	60	32	5	40		
30.....	224	265	160	131	75	27	39	20	2
31.....	463	2,480	s 6,570	104	35	10	--	--	83
Total.	12,986	--	19,640	7,100	--	71,868	1,474	--	186,368
Total discharge for year (cfs-days).....									369,828
Total load for year (tons).....									

a Computed by subdividing day.

s Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## ANIMAS RIVER AT FARMINGTON, N. MEX.--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; V, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis		
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.500	1.000
Nov. 20, 1952.....	5:00 p.m.	236	40	98	--	--	--	--	--	92	94	95	96	100	S
Feb. 10, 1953.....	4:40 p.m.	248	44	104	--	--	--	--	--	71	75	75	93	100	SPWCM
Mar. 10.....	5:45 p.m.	342	51	799	1,980	59	77	82	83	87	96	96	100	SPN	
Mar. 10.....	5:45 p.m.	342	51	799	1,620	19	71	82	83	87	96	96	100	SPN	
Mar. 20.....	6:15 a.m.	313	45	410	--	--	--	--	--	71	72	78	93	100	SPWCM
Mar. 30.....	6:15 p.m.	538	50	697	2,670	35	55	65	67	79	96	96	99	SPWCM	
Apr. 10.....	6:00 p.m.	489	48	497	--	--	--	--	--	84	85	87	95	100	S
Apr. 30.....	6:15 p.m.	1,080	45	350	1,610	63	69	82	87	96	100	--	--	VPWCM	
May 10.....	6:20 p.m.	828	39	186	--	--	--	--	--	72	83	92	99	100	V
May 23.....	7:05 p.m.	1,620	64	1,310	2,010	18	31	58	68	75	86	99	100	SPWCM	
May 26.....	6:35 p.m.	2,800	59	2,180	3,910	18	31	59	75	89	99	99	100	SPWCM	
May 29.....	6:10 a.m.	4,050	56	1,520	--	--	--	--	--	44	56	73	89	99	S
June 2.....	5:30 p.m.	2,800	60	916	--	--	--	--	--	13	20	36	78	98	S
June 10.....	5:45 p.m.	3,270	61	887	--	--	--	--	--	30	47	66	89	99	S
June 13.....	6:15 a.m.	4,960	55	1,940	--	--	--	--	--	41	54	69	94	97	S
July 18.....	7:30 p.m.	746	70	1,630	--	--	--	--	--	99	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
Aug. 1.....	6:10 p.m.	1,070	68	13,000	3,670	56	80	97	100	--	--	--	--	--	SPWCM

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER AT SHIP ROCK, N. MEX.

LOCATION.--At gaging station on left bank 3 miles west of Ship Rock, San Juan County, and 6 miles downstream from Chaco River.

DRAINAGE AREA.--12,900 square miles approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

Sediment records: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 80°F July 28; minimum, freezing point several days during November, December, January and February.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 36,600 ppm Aug. 2; maximum observed, 49,900 ppm Aug. 2; minimum daily, 14 ppm Nov. 3.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 317,000 tons Aug. 2; minimum daily, 16 tons Nov. 3.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 82°F July 2, 22, 1951; minimum, freezing point on many days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 64,800 ppm Aug. 25, 1951; minimum daily, 8 ppm July 13, 1951.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 578,000 tons Aug. 25, 1951; minimum daily, 5 tons July 21, Aug. 21, Sept. 12-24, 1951.

REMARKS.--Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283. Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 25-30, Dec. 4, 5, 25, Feb. 19-24.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
(Once-daily measurement generally taken between 11 a. m. and 6 p. m.)

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	b 70	--	--	36	--	45	54	52	b 61	b 73	74	a 69
2	70	--	--	35	--	42	56	52	b 65	b 73	72	a 61
3	70	--	--	36	--	--	b 57	b 51	b 62	74	b 75	--
4	65	--	--	37	--	38	57	56	b 62	76	75	--
5	60	--	--	36	--	41	51	60	63	b 77	b 77	--
6	--	--	--	--	--	44	51	63	61	78	b 76	--
7	--	--	--	a 32	--	46	--	63	61	78	b 75	--
8	--	--	--	35	--	46	--	61	66	70	b 77	b 66
9	--	--	40	--	--	50	50	b 56	b 87	78	78	b 66
10	--	--	36	--	40	51	52	a 48	b 87	76	b 75	a 59
11	--	a 40	35	--	39	52	49	57	b 65	b 76	b 68	b 65
12	--	a 43	35	--	38	a 43	46	58	b 68	b 78	b 79	b 65
13	--	--	--	--	39	49	48	b 60	b 69	b 77	a 75	b 69
14	--	--	34	--	40	a 45	53	b 61	b 69	b 78	--	b 69
15	--	--	35	--	40	a 39	50	b 59	b 68	b 77	--	a 60
16	--	--	36	--	40	46	56	a 53	b 67	b 74	b 75	b 61
17	--	--	38	--	40	a 43	a 50	61	b 63	b 72	b 77	a 57
18	--	--	44	--	43	--	57	66	--	b 72	b 73	b 58
19	--	40	42	--	34	52	53	a 61	--	75	b 74	a 54
20	--	40	36	--	32	--	a 51	64	--	76	b 76	a 57
21	--	40	37	--	33	--	a 54	a 58	--	b 75	b 78	b 62
22	--	40	a 32	--	33	43	a 61	69	--	b 77	b 69	a 56
23	52	--	33	--	36	43	b 61	a 59	a 71	b 77	b 75	a 54
24	--	31	32	--	--	53	b 61	64	b 70	b 78	b 76	a 53
25	--	31	--	--	--	51	b 60	64	b 72	b 75	b 77	a 54
26	--	31	a 33	--	43	57	63	62	b 65	a 75	b 69	a 53
27	--	--	32	--	44	--	b 58	b 63	b 70	a 75	--	b 57
28	--	--	34	--	44	--	b 55	b 60	a 65	b 80	--	a 55
29	--	--	40	--	--	a 51	b 53	58	b 70	--	--	b 60
30	--	31	35	--	--	53	b 51	55	b 73	b 76	72	a 51
31	--	--	36	--	--	a 48	--	b 60	--	b 73	b 72	--
Average	--	--	--	--	--	47	54	59	66	76	75	60

a Reading obtained before 11 a. m.

b Reading obtained after 6 p. m.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER AT SHIP ROCK, N. MEX.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953.

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Tons per day	Mean concen- tration (ppm)		Tons per day	Mean concen- tration (ppm)		Tons per day	Mean concen- tration (ppm)
1.....	870	85	a 200	402	--	e 20	523	120	169
2.....	811	73	160	409	15	17	499	99	133
3.....	766	64	132	417	14	16	507	100	137
4.....	748	71	143	523	9,000	12,700	520	110	154
5.....	721	54	105	564	12,000	18,300	480	90	117
6.....	640	24	41	539	6,900	10,000	523	80	113
7.....	640	19	33	523	3,400	a 4,800	523	90	127
8.....	623	25	42	483	1,900	2,480	547	110	a 160
9.....	606	30	a 49	539	1,700	2,470	623	140	235
10.....	523	35	49	623	1,800	3,030	531	140	201
11.....	507	17	23	721	1,100	2,140	491	140	186
12.....	499	20	27	703	400	759	523	130	a 180
13.....	460	17	21	623	220	370	531	120	a 170
14.....	402	25	27	564	220	335	539	110	160
15.....	395	17	18	580	170	266	580	140	219
16.....	395	17	18	589	132	210	572	110	170
17.....	402	54	59	623	127	214	640	90	156
18.....	395	64	68	685	115	213	667	140	252
19.....	395	86	92	658	81	144	721	520	1,010
20.....	402	46	50	623	115	193	730	3,200	6,310
21.....	402	47	51	598	132	213	766	2,700	5,580
22.....	395	57	61	539	106	154	730	2,160	4,260
23.....	395	44	47	572	117	181	649	1,600	2,800
24.....	402			606	159	260	555	480	719
25.....	424			580	129	202	550	300	a 450
26.....	417			550	150	223	555	330	495
27.....	424	--	e 34	470	285	362	555	800	1,200
28.....	409			400	265	286	460	330	410
29.....	424			350	150	142	453	220	269
30.....	417			400	120	130	453	120	147
31.....	409			--	--	--	468	140	177
Total.	15,718	--	1,788	16,456	--	60,830	17,464	--	26,866
	January			February			March		
1.....	507	105	144	598	450	727	555	47	70
2.....	515	80	111	598	1,650	2,660	694	95	178
2.....	523	80	113	606	390	638	703	540	a 1,000
4.....	499	67	90	623	195	328	632	1,060	1,810
5.....	491	94	125	685	109	202	606	680	1,110
6.....	460	60	a 75	712	167	321	564	1,200	1,830
7.....	539	34	49	694	75	141	547	1,150	1,700
8.....	606	95	155	703	141	268	606	630	1,360
9.....	632	92	157	721	117	228	766	480	993
10.....	589	66	105	685	510	943	910	4,000	9,830
11.....	564	60	a 91	623	124	209	1,050	7,000	19,800
12.....	572	57	88	658	53	94	1,080	5,870	16,500
13.....	623	60	a 100	614	59	98	1,080	3,200	9,330
14.....	623	800	1,350	632	37	63	1,010	2,360	6,440
15.....	721	1,100	a 2,100	589	27	43	950	1,800	4,620
16.....	649	1,000	1,750	589	73	116	840	1,320	2,990
17.....	623	620	1,040	531	28	40	811	820	1,800
18.....	632			531	39	56	890	800	a 1,900
19.....	623			480	63	82	1,020	670	1,850
20.....	640			450	62	100	1,030	800	a 2,200
21.....	658			430	63	73	1,060	1,700	a 4,900
22.....	658	--	e 900	450	60	73	1,020	2,220	6,110
23.....	667	--		470	85	108	840	880	2,000
24.....	667			500	94	127	730	350	690
25.....	658			572	62	96	730	310	611
26.....	640			606	32	52	811	400	876
27.....	649			539	50	73	1,080	720	2,100
28.....	614	300	497	555	71	106	1,160	580	1,820
29.....	606	425	695	--	--	--	1,290	655	2,280
30.....	623	455	765	--	--	--	1,710	1,510	6,970
31.....	589	270	429	--	--	--	1,840	1,980	9,840
Total.	18,660	--	19,029	16,444	--	8,065	28,615	--	125,508

e Estimated.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER AT SHIP ROCK, N. MEX.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April		May		June				
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	1,430	1,150	4,440	2,720	860	6,320	5,850	1,450	22,900
2.....	1,210	630	2,060	2,200	600	3,560	6,400	1,360	23,500
3.....	1,020	360	991	1,880	350	1,780	6,020	930	15,100
4.....	1,050	240	680	1,560	300	1,260	6,600	1,010	18,000
5.....	1,120	200	605	1,410	370	1,410	6,800	840	15,400
6.....	1,260	500	1,700	1,220	280	922	6,020	500	8,130
7.....	1,460	1,130	4,450	1,120	80	242	5,200	920	12,900
8.....	1,640	1,060	4,690	1,160	200	626	4,620	800	9,980
9.....	1,570	820	3,480	1,460	270	1,060	3,860	480	5,000
10.....	1,350	670	2,440	2,040	500	2,750	4,620	980	12,200
11.....	1,520	780	3,200	2,080	520	2,920	5,850	700	11,100
12.....	1,660	2,330	10,400	1,820	300	1,470	6,400	800	13,800
13.....	1,440	1,800	7,000	1,540	130	541	7,750	1,300	27,200
14.....	1,150	680	2,110	1,340	62	224	8,500	1,250	28,700
15.....	1,130	400	1,220	1,170	49	155	7,750	680	14,200
16.....	1,180	220	701	1,060	41	117	6,200	840	14,100
17.....	1,150	200	621	1,100	33	98	5,050	500	6,820
18.....	1,290	350	1,220	1,180	26	83	4,760	500	6,430
19.....	1,420	390	1,500	1,140	41	126	4,350	850	9,980
20.....	1,240	210	703	1,140	42	129	4,220	1,000	11,400
21.....	1,340	260	941	1,150	68	211	3,520	500	4,750
22.....	1,860	770	3,870	1,290	120	418	2,810	400	3,030
23.....	2,220	1,600	9,590	2,180	1,010	s 6,810	2,630	350	2,490
24.....	2,720	2,800	20,600	3,740	2,250	22,700	2,300	200	1,240
25.....	2,900	2,000	15,700	5,200	3,200	44,900	2,150	224	1,300
26.....	2,900	1,450	11,400	5,200	2,200	30,900	2,040	137	755
27.....	3,200	2,450	21,200	5,850	2,900	45,800	1,710	134	619
28.....	3,410	1,950	18,000	6,600	2,740	48,800	1,380	84	313
29.....	3,740	2,200	22,200	8,250	2,700	60,100	1,200	84	272
30.....	3,300	1,520	13,500	7,250	1,600	31,300	1,160	74	232
31.....	--	--	--	5,500	1,500	22,300	--	--	--
Total.	53,880	--	191,212	82,550	--	340,032	137,720	--	301,841
	July		August		September				
1.....	1,020	82	226	2,170	21,200	s 133,000	324	650	569
2.....	980	95	251	2,970	36,600	s 317,000	265	280	200
3.....	890			2,540	26,300	180,000	216	120	70
4.....	775			1,820	15,800	77,600	196	120	64
5.....	766	24	48	1,400	6,000	22,700	180	530	258
6.....	640			1,100	2,800	8,320	161	370	161
7.....	632			900	900	2,190	146	100	39
8.....	640			712	492	946	119	98	31
9.....	667			539	294	428	119	130	42
10.....	564	38	62	453	180	220	102	86	24
11.....	564			389	140	147	110	81	24
12.....	475	283	363	343	132	122	110	83	25
13.....	483	281	366	382	750	774	106	58	17
14.....	515	214	298	572	4,300	6,640	102	63	17
15.....	523	1,070	1,510	395	11,200	11,900	106	96	27
16.....	598	8,600	13,900	336	12,000	a 11,000	114	92	28
17.....	820	6,200	13,700	254	2,900	1,990	137	134	50
18.....	1,600	12,200	s 52,200	190	1,500	770	146	168	66
19.....	2,460	20,500	136,000	161	500	217	146	152	60
20.....	1,930	9,700	50,500	132	96	34	165	225	100
21.....	1,820	3,900	19,200	132	72	26	175	180	85
22.....	1,280	3,250	11,200	123	174	58	151	216	88
23.....	1,110	2,600	7,790	106	82	23	137	245	91
24.....	1,280	6,800	23,500	114	56	17	132	265	94
25.....	1,050	3,400	9,640	165	78	35	123	258	86
26.....	860	1,900	4,410	137	54	20	132	259	92
27.....	784	1,500	3,180	165	62	28	151	307	125
28.....	623	350	589	294	7,100	5,640	137	292	108
29.....	589	320	509	294	5,500	4,370	123	512	170
30.....	547	800	1,180	306	3,000	2,480	132	252	90
31.....	930	6,200	15,600	356	1,900	1,830	--	--	--
Total.	28,415	--	366,600	19,950	--	790,525	4,463	--	2,901

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 440,335

Total load for year (tons) ..... 2,235,197

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

SAN JUAN RIVER AT SHIP ROCK, N. MEX.--Continued  
 Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; M, chemically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters								Methods of analysis
					0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	
Nov. 4, 1952	4:30 p.m.	615	--	11,500	3,740	85	97	97	100	--	--	--	--
Nov. 8	2:20 p.m.	475	56	1,720	4,610	92	97	99	99	100	74	74	SPWCM
Dec. 20	4:30 p.m.	525	5,250	2,980	--	--	--	--	62	62	62	62	SPWCM
Jan. 17, 1953	11:30 a.m.	623	--	251	2,880	84	92	93	94	94	98	98	SPWCM
Jan. 28	12:30 p.m.	572	--	209	2,790	87	90	92	94	95	97	99	SBWCM
Feb. 10	2:15 p.m.	523	--	1,620	2,790	95	98	98	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
Feb. 10	2:00 p.m.	676	40	664	2,120	95	98	98	99	99	97	99	SBWCM
Mar. 11	9:30 a.m.	1,050	50	7,770	4,490	81	96	97	98	98	98	98	SPWCM
Mar. 22	11:30 a.m.	1,020	43	2,590	4,770	41	46	48	48	48	47	47	SPWCM
Mar. 31	11:30 a.m.	2,000	48	2,150	3,200	35	58	60	60	60	60	60	SPWCM
Apr. 12	4:15 p.m.	1,930	48	4,330	4,760	40	52	54	55	57	73	73	SPWCM
Apr. 29	6:45 a.m.	3,930	49	1,960	4,490	24	43	43	43	43	71	78	SPWCM
May 24	1:00 p.m.	4,120	64	2,100	3,730	26	43	43	43	43	80	86	100
May 25	6:45 a.m.	5,880	58	4,760	3,980	27	46	74	82	87	97	97	SPWCM
June 2	4:00 p.m.	6,060	65	1,980	3,100	13	20	35	53	81	99	99	SPWCM
June 10	6:45 a.m.	4,870	61	1,080	--	--	--	--	39	49	69	69	SPWCM
June 20	7:30 p.m.	4,220	--	1,370	2,030	24	28	31	34	42	64	64	SPWCM
July 15	7:00 p.m.	460	77	1,690	2,600	88	99	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 21	10:15 a.m.	1,700	--	3,750	3,570	77	94	96	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
July 28	7:30 p.m.	507	80	280	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	S
Aug. 1	2:15 p.m.	2,260	74	18,000	4,440	72	93	98	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
Aug. 2	8:00 p.m.	3,160	73	49,900	3,620	73	73	87	98	99	100	100	VPWCM
Aug. 15	7:00 p.m.	356	--	14,300	4,090	84	96	98	99	99	100	100	SPWCM
Aug. 29	10:00 p.m.	276	--	3,090	3,820	86	96	96	99	99	100	100	SPWCM
Sept. 20	6:45 a.m.	165	57	225	1,350	66	87	99	99	99	100	100	SPWCM

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLUFF, UTAH

**LOCATION.**--At bridge on State Highway 47, 1,800 feet downstream from gaging station and 20 miles southwest of Bluff, San Juan County.  
**DRAINAGE AREA.**--23,000 square miles, approximately.

**RECORDS AVAILABLE.**--Chemical analyses: February to June 1927, October 1929 to September 1933.

Water temperatures: May 1944 to September 1953.

Sediment records: August to September 1928, July 1929 to September 1953.

Extremes, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,140 ppm Sept. 11-20; minimum, 180 ppm June 11-20.

Extremes, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,140 ppm June 11-20.

Hardness: Maximum, 529 ppm Sept. 1-10; minimum, 110 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed daily, 1,700 micromhos Sept. 1; minimum daily, 239 micromhos June 16-17.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 85°F July 5; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 89,000 tons Aug. 2; minimum daily, 520 ppm Sept. 18.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily 1,140,000 tons Aug. 2; minimum daily, 174 tons Sept. 18.

Extremes, 1929-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,810 ppm July 21-31, 1934; minimum, 152 ppm June 11-20, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 874 ppm July 21-31, 1934; minimum, 104 ppm June 11-20, 1952.

Specific conductance (1944-53): Maximum daily, 2,070 micromhos Aug. 26, 1943; minimum observed daily, 2,08 micromhos June 17, 1952.

Water temperatures (1944-53): Maximum observed, 85°F July 5, 1952; minimum observed, freezing point on many days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 309,000 ppm Sept. 21, 1929; minimum daily, 0 ppm July 3-13, 1934.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily 12,000,000 tons Oct. 14, 1941 (revised); minimum daily 0 tons July 3-13, 1934.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col or					
		Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Parts per million	Non-carbonate	Percent sodium	Soil adsorption ratio	Parts per million	Non-carbonate	Percent calcium	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>								
Oct. 1-10, 1952.	818	11	0.03	98	23	75	3.8	170	23	0.4	1.8	674	0.92	1,490	342	32	1.8	956	7.8	
Oct. 11-31.....	512	8.4	.03	113	31	101	3.8	173	433	.5	2.4	862	1.17	1,180	411	268	2.2	1,170	7.8	
Nov. 1-30.....	684	11	.03	128	34	111	4.1	200	478	.2	2.8	956	1.30	1,770	462	295	2.3	1,280	8.0	
Dec. 1-31.....	706	18	--	127	35	109	3.6	188	475	.34	--	920	1.25	1,750	460	298	2.2	1,250	7.8	
Jan. 1-31, 1953.	687	14	--	127	33	101	3.6	188	458	.31	3.7	111	1.23	1,680	454	282	32	1,240	7.5	
Feb. 1-28.....	640	11	--	121	30	98	3.6	180	438	.32	--	2.8	1.17	1,480	438	272	33	1,180	7.8	
Mar. 1-10.....	658	11	.03	121	34	105	4.3	190	464	.4	2.8	886	1.22	1,600	444	288	34	2.2	1,210	8.0
Mar. 11-20.....	1,018	14	.03	110	25	88	4.5	188	373	.24	3.9	766	1.04	2,110	380	226	33	2.0	1,060	7.8
Mar. 21-31.....	1,025	14	.07	97	24	68	4.5	172	318	.20	3.0	657	.98	1,820	343	202	30	1.6	920	8
Apr. 1-10.....	1,506	14	.02	79	17	60	3.7	152	241	.15	2.8	520	.71	2,110	268	143	32	1.6	755	7.8
Apr. 11-20.....	1,426	13	.03	78	20	57	3.7	146	255	.15	2.4	508	.72	2,050	280	160	27	1.5	762	8
Apr. 21-30.....	2,475	16	.04	62	15	37	1.8	142	158	.10	3.1	383	.52	2,560	216	100	27	1.1	575	7.8
May 1-6.....	2,157	15	.05	55	14	28	1.5	122	134	.0	3	326	.44	1,900	194	94	24	.9	488	8
May 7-20.....	1,401	14	.07	65	17	44	2.2	134	187	.12	.3	424	.58	1,600	232	122	29	1.3	619	7.5
May 21-28.....	1,710	15	.05	66	19	51	2.2	138	207	.14	.4	456	.62	2,110	242	130	31	1.4	665	7.5
May 26-31.....	6,277	14	.11	17	46	9.1	--	176	76	.4	.3	438	.32	4,030	52	52	.6	.6	361	7.8

June 1-10, 1953...	5,398	12	.07	36	6.9	1.3	1.1	92	63	4.8	.3	1.5	--	191	.26	2,780	118	43	19	.5	296	7.6	15
June 11-20.....	5,749	11	.10	33	6.7	1.3	1.2	80	64	4.8	.2	1.1	0.03	180	.24	2,790	110	44	20	.5	275	7.8	15
June 21-30 .....	2,356	16	.05	47	9.7	26	1.6	113	109	9.0	.3	1.2	--	274	.37	1,790	155	65	9	.5	420	7.5	7
July 1-10 .....	854	13	.10	66	14	5.4	3.1	136	194	18	.4	.5	--	428	.58	1,020	222	110	34	1.6	642	7.5	9
July 11-17 .....	623	16	.08	97	20	8.6	4.7	193	309	27	.3	.5	.12	664	.90	1,120	324	166	36	2.1	951	7.6	15
July 18-21 .....	2,205	22	.11	109	26	136	5.6	266	398	26	.5	.7	--	847	1.15	5,040	379	161	43	3.0	1,210	8.1	22
July 22-30 .....	1,494	19	.17	77	16	70	4.8	188	229	17	.6	.8	--	530	.72	2,140	256	104	37	1.9	774	7.8	35
July 31, Aug. 1-5	3,105	22	.11	125	29	118	6.5	276	414	24	.5	.4	--	881	1.20	7,390	431	205	37	2.5	1,220	7.9	35
Aug. 6-10 .....	1,133	17	.05	86	18	6.9	4.7	162	271	18	.6	4.3	--	576	.78	1,760	286	156	34	1.8	824	7.9	25
Aug. 11-20 .....	544	17	.06	108	26	106	--	178	396	28	.5	3.4	--	802	1.09	1,180	376	230	38	2.4	1,060	7.9	15
Aug. 21-31 .....	840	18	--	140	29	130	--	216	501	32	.4	2.6	--	977	1.33	2,230	468	292	38	2.6	1,320	7.5	25
Sept. 1-10 .....	286	14	.10	146	40	140	--	184	589	38	.4	3.9	--	1,090	1.48	871	529	378	37	2.6	1,460	7.6	--
Sept. 11-20 .....	133	9.5	.09	127	46	162	--	154	624	47	.4	1.7	--	1,140	1.55	409	506	380	41	3.1	1,500	7.7	11
Sept. 21-30 .....	173	8.6	.07	122	40	162	--	161	594	50	.4	2.1	--	1,090	1.48	509	469	337	42	3.2	1,480	7.8	18
Weighted average	1,306	14	0.07	77	19	58	2.8	150	243	16	0.4	2.0	--	522	0.71	1,840	270	147	32	1.5	738	--	--

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLUFF, UTAH--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	69	53	33	33	40	45	50	49	61	74	70	69	
2	71	56	34	32	39	42	53	51	57	76	71	64	
3	70	52	33	33	38	40	53	51	60	73	70	65	
4	66	53	33	35	41	38	56	54	62	78	71	63	
5	65	49	32	34	40	41	54	55	64	85	70	61	
6	63	48	32	32	41	39	51	57	65	77	70	66	
7	60	49	32	33	41	--	47	63	62	79	72	65	
8	60	45	34	36	42	--	45	58	63	79	72	65	
9	61	47	34	38	39	50	44	53	65	76	72	65	
10	61	40	33	37	39	52	46	--	65	74	71	66	
11	62	44	33	38	38	52	47	56	70	72	72	65	
12	67	44	36	37	41	47	46	55	71	81	70	66	
13	--	45	38	38	39	48	46	55	71	75	72	65	
14	62	45	36	40	43	44	51	59	--	75	72	64	
15	59	45	35	39	43	45	51	61	69	76	72	64	
16	60	43	34	33	37	46	50	60	69	75	72	64	
17	59	44	--	36	46	50	51	59	70	73	71	63	
18	53	42	39	37	44	49	54	60	71	71	73	61	
19	62	40	42	36	36	51	57	65	66	73	72	60	
20	62	40	40	38	32	49	57	63	68	73	74	--	
21	63	41	40	39	37	44	62	65	77	75	75	62	
22	--	42	41	38	33	40	63	62	71	74	69	65	
23	61	39	36	35	34	47	60	65	74	74	70	65	
24	54	37	33	39	39	51	58	62	73	76	70	59	
25	50	39	34	42	35	52	57	59	70	75	71	59	
26	--	34	32	36	41	54	58	63	68	75	71	60	
27	53	32	32	40	42	53	--	61	65	76	71	62	
28	55	33	33	35	45	55	54	62	70	75	60	59	
29	51	33	33	36	--	47	52	55	71	75	70	56	
30	54	32	33	35	--	55	47	58	74	70	70	61	
31	54	--	33	37	--	47	--	64	--	71	67	--	
Average		60	43	35	36	39	47	52	59	68	75	71	63

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN

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## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLUFF, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December	
	Suspended sediment		Suspended sediment		Suspended sediment	
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Mean concentration (ppm)	Mean discharge (cfs)	Mean concentration (ppm)	Mean discharge (cfs)	Mean concentration (ppm)
1.....	1,040	4,800	13,500	505	2,780	3,790
2.....	1,000	3,850	10,400	495	2,530	3,380
3.....	942	3,290	8,370	456	1,700	2,090
4.....	864	3,280	7,650	461	1,750	2,180
5.....	834	5,200	11,700	451	2,910	3,540
6.....	786	4,100	8,700	612	4,100	6,770
7.....	714	3,950	7,610	697	9,800	18,400
8.....	685	3,490	6,290	606	15,200	24,900
9.....	651	2,940	5,170	606	5,200	8,510
10.....	662	3,050	5,450	656	4,250	7,530
11.....	651	2,750	4,830	768	3,900	8,000
12.....	568	1,880	2,880	810	2,230	4,880
13.....	574	1,800	a 2,800	882	1,820	4,330
14.....	579	2,560	4,000	816	2,000	4,410
15.....	552	3,000	4,470	768	1,640	3,400
16.....	490	2,260	2,990	846	1,400	3,200
17.....	505	2,200	3,000	828	4,100	9,170
18.....	480	2,050	2,660	756	2,850	5,820
19.....	510	1,950	2,690	828	3,280	7,330
20.....	500	2,650	3,580	822	3,210	7,120
21.....	500	2,700	3,640	798	3,230	6,980
22.....	505	3,100	a 2,400	780	2,600	5,480
23.....	466	3,950	4,970	780	1,420	2,990
24.....	510	3,020	4,160	750	3,000	6,080
25.....	476	3,040	3,910	750	3,300	6,680
26.....	451	2,900	a 3,500	732	2,700	5,340
27.....	500	3,900	3,920	640	3,600	6,220
28.....	495	2,590	3,460	595	4,000	6,430
29.....	480	2,600	3,370	521	3,200	4,500
30.....	495	2,100	2,810	495	2,760	3,690
31.....	471	1,900	2,420	--	--	--
Total.	18,936	--	159,050	20,510	--	193,210
	January		February		March	
1.....	552	1,830	2,730	623	1,820	3,060
2.....	557	2,150	3,230	628	1,630	2,760
3.....	606	2,210	3,620	634	1,560	2,670
4.....	612	2,330	3,850	634	1,540	2,640
5.....	656	1,950	3,450	668	1,780	3,210
6.....	634	1,950	3,340	674	1,480	2,690
7.....	640	2,750	4,750	697	1,410	2,650
8.....	662	2,020	3,610	720	1,460	2,840
9.....	679	1,940	3,560	786	1,550	3,290
10.....	685	1,910	3,530	768	1,480	3,030
11.....	750	2,050	4,150	798	1,350	2,910
12.....	708	1,780	3,400	750	1,470	2,980
13.....	708	2,120	4,050	685	1,400	2,590
14.....	738	1,830	3,650	702	1,050	1,990
15.....	762	2,200	4,530	656	920	1,630
16.....	792	2,380	5,090	634	1,100	1,880
17.....	822	2,600	5,770	612	840	1,390
18.....	708	3,380	6,460	628	1,160	1,970
19.....	726	3,150	6,170	617	1,300	2,170
20.....	679	2,240	4,110	574	1,610	2,500
21.....	697	1,980	3,730	521	1,120	1,580
22.....	720	1,800	3,500	510	1,270	1,750
23.....	697	1,910	3,590	526	1,280	1,820
24.....	702	1,800	3,410	500	1,000	1,350
25.....	714	1,540	2,970	563	983	1,490
26.....	697	1,610	3,030	574	1,000	1,550
27.....	685	1,430	2,640	606	980	1,600
28.....	668	1,900	3,430	640	1,200	2,070
29.....	691	1,780	3,320	--	--	--
30.....	685	1,900	3,510	--	--	--
31.....	651	1,680	2,950	--	--	--
Total.	21,283	--	119,130	17,928	--	64,060
	January		February		March	

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLUFF, UTAH--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	1,850	4,400	22,000	3,090	4,100	34,200	5,510	3,600	53,600
2.....	1,590	3,400	14,600	2,600	2,800	19,700	5,720	3,250	50,200
3.....	1,330	2,850	10,200	2,210	2,170	12,900	5,800	3,180	49,800
4.....	1,200	1,840	5,960	1,910	1,790	9,230	5,820	2,900	45,600
5.....	1,130	1,800	5,490	1,670	1,650	7,440	6,130	3,000	49,700
6.....	1,180	1,450	4,540	1,460	1,950	7,690	6,330	2,700	46,100
7.....	1,630	3,600	15,800	1,330	1,700	6,100	5,500	3,000	44,600
8.....	1,710	5,400	24,900	1,200	1,240	4,020	4,880	2,250	29,600
9.....	1,820	3,900	19,200	1,160	1,170	3,660	4,550	2,080	25,600
10.....	1,640	3,500	15,500	1,310	1,800	a 6,400	3,740	1,910	19,300
11.....	1,580	1,250	5,330	1,760	2,170	10,300	4,850	2,260	29,600
12.....	1,510	1,400	5,710	2,030	2,150	11,800	5,770	2,850	44,400
13.....	1,710	4,000	18,500	1,790	1,810	8,750	5,940	2,850	45,700
14.....	1,640	3,300	14,600	1,570	1,330	5,640	7,730	3,800	a 79,000
15.....	1,290	3,520	12,300	1,420	1,400	5,370	7,400	3,060	61,100
16.....	1,220	2,080	6,850	1,300	1,450	5,090	6,710	2,850	51,600
17.....	1,210	1,620	5,290	1,210	2,900	9,470	5,650	2,120	32,300
18.....	1,280	1,340	4,630	1,150	1,190	3,690	4,940	1,950	26,000
19.....	1,300	1,370	4,810	1,210	1,070	3,500	4,450	2,660	32,000
20.....	1,520	1,950	8,000	1,170	1,080	3,410	4,050	1,600	17,500
21.....	1,390	1,670	6,270	1,090	1,320	3,880	3,960	1,600	17,100
22.....	1,340	1,390	5,030	1,100	1,260	3,740	3,230	1,580	13,800
23.....	1,860	2,400	10,800	1,120	1,340	4,050	2,770	1,400	10,500
24.....	2,080	3,000	16,800	1,540	2,030	8,440	2,460	1,200	7,970
25.....	2,600	5,530	38,800	3,700	3,520	35,200	2,220	1,040	6,230
26.....	2,750	5,730	42,500	4,850	4,600	60,200	2,080	950	5,340
27.....	2,850	5,520	42,500	4,870	4,540	59,700	2,000	779	4,210
28.....	2,970	5,680	45,500	5,940	6,450	103,000	1,770	980	4,680
29.....	3,300	6,950	61,900	6,900	7,200	134,000	1,540	1,400	5,820
30.....	3,810	6,800	67,000	8,290	7,010	157,000	1,330	858	3,080
31.....	--	--	--	6,810	4,500	82,700	--	--	--
Total.	54,070	--	561,310	78,760	--	830,270	134,830	--	912,030
	July			August			September		
1.....	1,250	700	2,360	2,630	80,500	593,000	461	11,700	14,600
2.....	1,160	830	2,600	4,400	89,200	1,140,000	428	10,400	12,000
3.....	1,080	910	2,650	3,750	56,400	s 603,000	373	5,800	5,840
4.....	1,000	750	2,020	2,710	45,000	341,000	311	3,520	2,960
5.....	900	609	1,480	1,930	26,800	140,000	276	2,420	1,800
6.....	774	758	1,580	1,570	16,700	70,800	255	1,580	1,090
7.....	792	1,010	2,160	1,280	12,400	43,200	241	1,840	1,200
8.....	623	950	1,600	1,090	8,000	23,500	226	1,470	897
9.....	612	660	1,090	928	4,800	12,000	211	1,210	689
10.....	645	2,000	3,480	786	4,000	8,490	174	1,070	503
11.....	762	5,120	10,500	679	3,740	6,860	146	850	335
12.....	792	6,050	12,900	612	3,360	5,550	135	840	306
13.....	640	7,720	13,300	563	3,500	5,320	124	800	268
14.....	521	3,970	5,580	461	3,050	3,800	129	1,060	369
15.....	490	1,520	2,010	852	24,000	55,200	129	700	244
16.....	574	1,450	2,250	768	40,100	86,200	129	650	226
17.....	584	3,700	5,830	521	18,400	25,900	124	600	201
18.....	1,490	30,000	121,000	400	11,000	11,900	124	520	174
19.....	2,810	91,500	746,000	331	13,400	12,000	132	650	232
20.....	2,630	59,000	434,000	258	8,000	5,570	154	700	a 290
21.....	1,890	28,000	143,000	224	7,500	4,540	183	1,000	440
22.....	1,840	16,200	80,500	241	12,000	7,810	160	839	362
23.....	1,580	9,600	41,000	241	16,000	10,400	168	1,000	454
24.....	1,250	6,040	20,400	218	14,000	8,240	174	1,000	470
25.....	1,170	5,300	16,700	192	12,800	6,640	157	982	416
26.....	1,380	6,020	22,600	163	13,900	6,120	163	877	386
27.....	1,220	28,000	85,600	428	24,500	s 53,200	166	983	441
28.....	984	16,200	43,000	2,720	47,000	s 466,000	157	912	387
29.....	921	10,400	25,900	3,170	54,000	s 503,000	196	1,450	787
30.....	3,090	84,000	81,150,000	1,110	33,500	104,000	224	1,330	804
31.....	3,210	170,000	81,800,000	538	18,000	26,000	--	--	--
Total.	38,674	--	4,803,090	35,772	--	4,389,240	6,010	--	49,151

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 476,686  
 Total load for year (tons) ..... 12,501,891

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## SAN JUAN RIVER BASIN—Continued

## SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLUFF, UTAH—Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

(Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; M, chemically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspended sediment (ppm)								Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters								Methods of analysis
					0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.500	1.000	2.000						
Suspended sediment																					
Nov. 8, 1952	10:15 a.m.	623	47	15,900	4,600	61	64	--	67	83	99	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Dec. 15	10:00 a.m.	768	35	2,550	--	--	--	--	--	10	43	94	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	V	
Dec. 15	10:05 a.m.	882	40	2,160	--	--	--	--	--	24	51	92	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	V	
Jan. 17, 1953	12:10 p.m.	822	36	2,500	3,040	40	42	--	42	62	96	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Feb. 18	9:55 a.m.	634	44	1,060	--	--	--	--	--	15	38	94	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	S	
Mar. 9	4:55 p.m.	601	55	1,510	2,890	42	46	--	50	71	97	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Mar. 11	10:15 a.m.	1,150	53	8,390	4,600	57	70	--	79	88	99	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Mar. 11	10:45 a.m.	1,940	47	4,310	4,070	18	27	--	44	64	95	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Apr. 7	2:05 p.m.	53	3,010	5,040	25	35	--	54	72	96	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPN	
Apr. 7	2:05 p.m.	53	3,010	4,150	3	37	--	54	72	96	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Apr. 26	5:45 p.m.	860	60	5,090	3,030	24	38	--	57	75	94	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Apr. 26	5:45 p.m.	2,860	60	5,090	3,030	11	36	--	57	75	94	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
May 14	3:00 p.m.	1,540	63	1,170	1,740	12	15	--	28	53	93	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
May 29	5:40 p.m.	7,460	66	6,600	3,320	24	26	--	45	62	94	99	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
June 2	9:15 a.m.	4,950	57	3,090	4,490	7	12	--	26	44	78	97	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
June 13	9:30 a.m.	5,440	71	2,140	3,310	9	13	--	27	48	84	98	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
July 8	10:10 a.m.	634	79	475	296	--	--	--	14	28	70	99	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	S	
July 10	7:10 p.m.	640	77	3,580	6,860	26	57	--	97	98	95	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	VPWC/M	
July 18	10:45 p.m.	2,140	75	13,900	3,360	45	63	76	89	96	99	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
July 19	9:05 a.m.	1,340	73	98,600	6,010	55	78	--	95	98	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPN	
July 19	9:05 a.m.	1,940	73	98,600	6,330	4	77	--	95	98	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
July 23	7:35 a.m.	1,620	74	9,400	3,980	53	64	67	71	91	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Aug. 3	7:50 a.m.	3,200	70	54,200	3,260	46	57	62	73	90	99	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Aug. 18	8:20 a.m.	400	73	10,200	5,120	65	77	81	97	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Aug. 21	8:55 a.m.	157	71	7,830	4,590	80	88	--	93	98	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	
Sept. 22	9:10 a.m.	160	65	824	1,360	22	27	28	30	37	46	72	96	--	--	--	--	--	--	SPWC/M	

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM

## COLORADO RIVER AT LEES FERRY, ARIZ.

LOCATION.—At gaging station at head of Marble Gorge at Lees Ferry, Coconino County, just upstream from Paria River, 28 miles downstream from Utah-Arizona State line, 61.5 miles upstream from Little Colorado River, and 79 miles downstream from San Juan River.

DRAINAGE AREA.—107,900 square miles, approximately. RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: January to July 1926, October 1926 to June 1927, October 1928 to September 1930, November 1942 to October 1945, October 1947 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: July 1949 to September 1953.

Sediment records: October 1928 to December 1933.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 1,910 micromhos Sept. 8; minimum observed, 398 micromhos June 25.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum observed, 82 mg. daily July 21, 23, 24; minimum daily, 26, 200 ppm Aug. 5; minimum daily, 1,210 ppm Sept. 21, 30.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily 1,250,000 tons Aug. 5; minimum daily, 6,200 tons Sept. 30.

EXTREMES. 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,410 ppm Oct. 11-20, 1928; minimum, 209 ppm June 11-20, 1929.

Hardness: Maximum, 602 ppm Sept. 1-10; minimum, 166 ppm June 21-30.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 1,910 micromhos Sept. 8; minimum observed, 398 micromhos June 25.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily 26, 200 ppm Aug. 5; minimum daily, 1,210 ppm Sept. 21, 30.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily 1,250,000 tons Aug. 5; minimum daily, 6,200 tons Sept. 30.

EXTREMES. 1928-33. 1942-45. 1947-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,410 ppm Oct. 11-20, 1928; minimum, 209 ppm June 11-20, 1929.

Hardness (1928-30, 1942-45, 1947-53).—Maximum, 720 ppm Oct. 11-20, 1928; minimum, 132 ppm June 11-20, 1944.

Specific conductance (1942-45, 1947-53).—Maximum observed, 2,880 micromhos Oct. 15, 1943; minimum observed, 318 micromhos June 9, 1948.

Water temperatures (1949-53).—Maximum observed, 84 °F Aug. 3, 1952; minimum observed, 31° F Aug. 3, 1952; maximum observed, 84 °F Aug. 3, 1952; minimum observed, 31° F Aug. 3, 1952; maximum observed, 84 °F Aug. 3, 1952; minimum observed, 31° F Aug. 3, 1952.

Sediment concentrations (1928-33, 1942-44, 1947-53).—Maximum daily, 83,300 ppm Aug. 11, 1930; minimum daily, 300 ppm Jan. 8, 1949.

Sediment loads (1928-33, 1942-44, 1947-53).—Maximum daily, 9,450,000 tons Aug. 7, 1929; minimum daily, 1,220 tons Jan. 8, 1949.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved Solids (sum)		Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percentage Calcium, magnesium, and neptunium	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25 °C)	pH			
														Oct. 1-10, 1952	Oct. 11-20	Oct. 21-31	Nov. 1-10	Nov. 11-20	Nov. 21-30	Dec. 1-10	Dec. 11-20	Dec. 21-31	Jan. 1-10	Jan. 11-19	Jan. 20-31	Feb. 1-10
Oct. 1-10, 1952	6,870	1.3	0.01	11.9	47	6.0	200	479	96	0.4	3.8	0.18	987	1.36	18,490	460	326	3.8	2.8	322	333	3.9	2.9	1,470	7.8	
Oct. 11-20	5,504	1.1	.01	11.5	52	148	5.7	1,198	97	.4	3.6	.18	987	1.36	1,030	1.40	15,310	501	544	368	40	3.1	1,640	7.8	5,500	--
Oct. 21-31	5,640	1.1	.01	12.2	58	168	6.3	215	587	.18	4.3	.22	1,130	1.54	17,210	544	552	370	40	3.2	1,640	7.9	6,640	7.8		
Nov. 1-10	5,765	1.1	.01	12.4	59	172	6.2	222	589	.16	4.2	.20	1,150	1.56	17,980	552	556	367	40	3.2	1,640	8.0	7,765	8.0		
Nov. 11-20	6,683	1.1	.00	12.5	58	172	5.8	224	543	.16	4.6	.16	1,150	1.56	20,680	556	556	347	39	3.1	1,640	8.0	8,683	8.0		
Nov. 21-30	7,056	1.4	.01	12.6	55	164	6.8	236	521	.12	4.6	.20	1,120	1.52	21,340	540	540	277	40	2.9	1,420	7.7	9,056	8.0		
Dec. 1-10, 1952	5,021	1.6	.01	12.4	56	164	5.5	232	499	.3	4.9	.25	1,110	1.51	15,050	536	536	346	40	3.1	1,620	7.9	5,021	7.9		
Dec. 11-20	6,222	1.6	.01	12.6	56	170	5.8	258	514	.32	5.3	.25	1,150	1.56	19,320	545	545	334	40	3.2	1,630	7.9	6,222	7.9		
Dec. 21-31	7,125	1.4	.01	11.3	48	148	5.2	236	441	.14	4.5	.23	1,000	1.00	19,240	480	480	286	40	2.9	1,480	7.9	7,125	7.9		
Jan. 1-10, 1953	5,387	1.5	.01	11.2	51	157	5.5	238	444	.12	4.4	.25	1,030	1.40	14,980	489	489	284	41	3.1	1,540	7.9	5,387	7.9		
Jan. 11-19	6,840	1.5	.00	11.6	50	158	5.8	238	438	.13	5.6	.28	1,040	1.41	18,210	495	495	300	41	3.1	1,560	8.0	7,840	8.0		
Jan. 20-31	7,553	1.6	.01	10.9	47	144	5.2	230	404	.15	5.0	.18	956	1.30	19,560	466	466	277	40	2.9	1,420	7.7	8,553	7.7		
Feb. 1-10, 1953	6,627	1.4	.01	10.6	47	143	6.2	231	410	.13	4.7	.17	957	1.30	17,120	458	458	268	40	2.9	1,410	7.9	6,627	7.9		
Feb. 11-20	6,932	1.4	.01	10.6	46	144	6.2	227	408	.12	4.4	.18	953	1.30	17,840	451	451	265	41	3.0	1,420	7.9	7,932	7.9		
Feb. 21-28	6,075	1.3	.01	10.2	45	156	5.2	226	407	.12	4.2	.19	957	1.32	15,860	440	440	254	43	3.2	1,450	7.8	6,075	7.8		

a Includes equivalent of 7 parts per million of carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ ).

Mar. 1-10, 1953.....	6,336	13	.02	104	47	158	6.1	230	407	126	.3	4.9	.23	16,750	453	264	43	3.2	1,470	8.0		
Mar. 11-20,.....	8,085	12	.00	101	45	146	5.8	219	396	109	.3	4.0	.25	927	1.33	16,750	453	258	42	3.0	1,390	8.0
Mar. 21-31,.....	7,857	12	.03	86	40	128	5.1	203	342	93	.3	3.8	.25	810	1.10	17,160	379	212	42	2.9	1,230	7.9
APR. 1-10,.....	9,032	14	.01	90	41	134	5.1	134	354	103	.3	3.3	.19	848	1.15	20,700	393	222	42	2.9	1,280	7.6
APR. 11-20,.....	8,982	14	.01	86	38	118	4.6	210	325	79	.2	3.4	.17	781	1.06	18,960	370	198	41	2.7	1,180	7.7
APR. 21-30,.....	8,632	14	.01	84	38	115	4.6	203	318	85	.2	2.7	.17	762	1.04	17,760	366	199	40	2.6	1,150	7.8
MAY 1-10,.....	14,760	15	.02	70	28	83	4.1	189	235	54	.3	2.9	.15	585	.30	132	387	132	38	2.1	892	7.8
MAY 11-20,.....	11,700	13	.02	66	27	70	3.8	174	212	49	.3	2.5	.15	530	.72	16,740	276	133	35	1.8	817	7.7
MAY 21-30,.....	12,467	13	.01	69	27	78	3.9	174	234	54	.3	2.0	.12	567	.77	19,090	283	140	37	2.0	871	7.7
MAY 21-31,.....	37,740	13	.05	63	20	51	3.7	163	152	35	.2	2.5	.11	413	.56	42,080	222	88	33	1.5	650	7.8
JUNE 1-10,.....	48,490	13	.05	52	14	26	2.5	159	91	16	.3	2.3	.08	295	.40	38,620	187	56	23	.8	472	7.8
JUNE 11-20,.....	55,820	12	.03	49	13	24	2.5	145	88	15	.3	1.9	.09	277	.38	41,750	176	57	22	.8	444	7.7
JUNE 21-30,.....	46,520	12	.04	45	13	24	2.6	138	83	14	.3	1.6	.08	264	.36	33,160	166	53	23	.8	424	7.7
JULY 1-10,.....	20,360	12	.01	59	17	37	3.4	166	120	30	.3	1.4	.11	362	.49	19,900	217	81	27	1.1	571	7.5
JULY 11-20,.....	14,180	13	.01	72	22	55	4.1	182	179	43	.4	1.8	.14	479	.65	18,340	270	121	30	1.5	746	7.6
JULY 21-31,.....	12,140	14	.01	86	26	79	4.8	191	258	53	.4	3.4	.18	619	.84	20,290	322	165	34	1.9	939	7.7
SEPT. 1-10,.....	15,340	17	.42	132	35	106	7.3	226	423	59	.5	2.1	.16	893	1.21	36,980	474	288	32	2.1	1,270	7.6
SEPT. 11-20,.....	8,887	16	.03	108	33	96	6.0	198	357	58	.4	4.3	.17	776	1.06	16,620	405	243	34	2.1	1,130	7.7
SEPT. 21-30,.....	8,280	15	.08	130	36	117	7.0	212	447	70	.5	2.9	.19	928	1.26	20,770	472	289	35	2.3	1,330	7.7
SEPT. 21-30,.....	5,774	14	.18	159	50	154	7.9	210	604	97	.4	5.2	.22	1,190	1.62	18,550	602	430	35	2.7	1,680	7.5
SEPT. 21-30,.....	3,883	13	.02	131	51	148	5.9	203	536	103	.4	4.4	.22	1,090	1.48	11,430	536	370	2.7	1,570	7.6	
SEPT. 21-30,.....	3,349	10	.02	132	59	172	6.8	194	602	125	.4	3.9	.23	1,210	1.65	10,940	572	413	39	3.1	1,730	7.7
Weighted average..	12,140	13	0.04	81	30	83	4.3	185	262	59	0.3	2.9	0.15	627	0.55	20,550	325	174	35	2.0	940	--

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COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT LEE'S FERRY, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.	50	40	54	40	59	42	51	41	56	54	57	55	62	61	71	74	75	75	73	73	77	77	74	73
2.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
3.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
4.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
5.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
6.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
7.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
8.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
9.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
10.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
11.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
12.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
13.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
14.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
15.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
16.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
17.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
18.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
19.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
20.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
21.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
22.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
23.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
24.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
25.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
26.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
27.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
28.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
29.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
30.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
31.	50	40	54	40	59	43	51	42	56	54	57	55	62	60	73	75	77	77	73	73	78	78	76	73
Average.....	64	62	58	56	54	52	50	48	46	44	42	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	20	18	16

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## COLORADO RIVER AT LEES FERRY, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	7,910	2,230	47,600	5,710	966	14,900	5,600	957	14,500
2.....	7,770	1,840	38,600	5,660	741	11,300	5,020	862	11,700
3.....	7,420	1,590	31,900	5,570	862	13,000	4,600	671	8,330
4.....	7,150	1,440	27,800	5,460	877	12,900	4,320	713	8,320
5.....	6,950	1,280	24,000	5,460	971	14,300	4,290	749	8,680
6.....	6,790	1,370	25,100	5,660	860	13,100	4,600	801	9,950
7.....	6,530	1,150	20,300	5,830	938	14,800	4,910	950	12,600
8.....	6,250	936	15,800	6,040	998	16,300	5,350	1,050	15,200
9.....	6,070	929	15,200	6,160	1,030	17,100	5,630	1,100	16,700
10.....	5,860	880	13,900	6,100	956	15,700	5,890	1,020	16,200
11.....	5,690	924	14,200	6,130	758	12,500	6,010	1,100	a 18,000
12.....	5,660	865	13,200	5,830	1,300	20,500	5,770	1,120	17,400
13.....	5,570	735	11,100	5,980	1,480	23,900	5,740	1,350	20,900
14.....	5,520	793	11,800	6,160	1,520	25,300	5,950	1,550	24,900
15.....	5,430	854	12,500	6,560	1,490	26,400	6,130	1,110	18,400
16.....	5,430	768	11,300	7,090	1,480	28,300	5,980	987	15,900
17.....	5,490	805	11,900	7,520	1,660	33,700	6,160	943	15,700
18.....	5,490	784	11,600	7,090	1,490	28,500	6,470	1,380	23,800
19.....	5,380	873	12,700	7,090	1,440	27,600	6,790	1,350	24,700
20.....	5,380	790	11,500	7,180	1,500	29,100	7,220	1,350	26,300
21.....	5,430	789	11,600	7,180	1,310	25,400	7,150	1,800	34,700
22.....	5,570	1,110	16,700	7,250	1,430	28,000	7,280	1,800	35,400
23.....	5,690	921	14,100	7,280	1,120	22,000	7,600	1,730	35,500
24.....	5,710	736	11,300	6,920	1,240	23,200	7,940	1,570	33,700
25.....	5,710	661	10,200	7,020	1,470	27,900	7,940	1,500	a 32,000
26.....	5,800	710	11,100	7,090	1,210	23,200	7,660	1,450	30,000
27.....	5,660	877	13,400	7,150	1,260	24,300	7,220	1,290	25,100
28.....	5,550	766	11,500	7,150	1,070	20,700	6,820	1,340	24,700
29.....	5,630	754	11,500	7,050	1,170	22,300	6,560	1,300	23,000
30.....	5,630	778	11,800	6,470	874	15,300	6,220	1,200	20,200
31.....	5,660	874	13,400	--	--	--	5,980	1,050	17,000
Total.	185,780	--	518,600	194,840	--	631,500	190,800	--	639,480
	January			February			March		
1.....	5,550	900	a 13,000	6,770	1,170	21,400	5,720	1,200	18,500
2.....	5,150	751	10,400	6,600	1,080	19,200	5,780	900	14,000
3.....	5,100	895	12,300	6,540	1,100	19,400	6,120	1,030	17,000
4.....	5,100	814	11,200	6,640	1,160	20,800	6,410	1,110	19,200
5.....	5,370	909	13,200	6,670	1,240	22,300	6,540	1,070	18,900
6.....	5,490	1,270	18,800	6,640	1,160	20,800	6,570	1,000	17,700
7.....	5,520	1,070	15,900	6,670	1,310	23,600	6,740	1,010	18,400
8.....	5,580	1,410	21,200	6,600	1,210	21,600	6,670	1,040	18,700
9.....	5,520	1,250	18,600	6,500	1,080	19,000	6,470	880	15,400
10.....	5,490	1,170	17,300	6,640	1,160	20,800	6,340	837	14,300
11.....	5,690	1,120	17,200	7,210	1,480	28,800	6,440	905	15,700
12.....	6,570	1,370	24,300	7,420	1,490	29,900	6,570	1,060	18,800
13.....	6,770	1,350	24,700	7,380	1,310	26,100	6,940	1,060	19,900
14.....	6,910	1,650	30,800	7,210	1,070	20,800	7,420	1,310	26,200
15.....	7,210	1,560	30,400	6,910	1,310	24,400	7,460	1,400	a 28,000
16.....	7,110	1,200	23,000	6,700	1,220	22,100	7,660	1,700	35,200
17.....	7,150	1,180	22,800	6,740	1,390	25,300	8,730	2,170	51,100
18.....	7,110	1,260	24,200	6,740	1,180	21,500	9,640	2,240	58,300
19.....	7,040	1,110	21,100	6,640	1,140	20,400	10,200	2,120	58,400
20.....	7,080	1,250	23,900	6,370	1,030	17,700	9,890	2,000	53,400
21.....	7,110	1,000	19,200	6,410	1,020	17,700	9,040	1,990	48,600
22.....	6,770	1,130	20,700	6,440	969	16,800	8,360	1,770	40,000
23.....	6,840	1,370	25,300	6,080	950	a 16,000	8,170	1,750	38,600
24.....	6,840	1,410	26,000	5,750	922	14,300	8,100	1,810	39,600
25.....	6,910	1,300	24,300	5,780	851	13,300	8,170	1,700	37,500
26.....	6,980	1,280	24,100	6,150	908	15,100	8,020	1,540	33,300
27.....	6,810	1,310	24,100	6,150	924	15,300	7,880	1,420	30,200
28.....	6,810	1,310	24,100	5,840	932	14,700	7,630	1,440	29,700
29.....	6,980	1,410	26,600	--	--	--	7,210	1,400	a 27,000
30.....	7,040	1,340	25,500	--	--	--	6,910	2,120	22,600
31.....	6,910	1,180	22,000	--	--	--	6,940	1,280	24,000
Total.	198,510	--	656,200	184,190	--	569,100	230,740	--	908,200

a Computed by subdividing day.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT LEES FERRY, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	7,490	1,360	27,500	13,100	2,530	89,500	51,800	5,870	821,000
2.....	7,740	1,340	28,000	14,900	2,700	109,000	48,100	5,170	671,000
3.....	8,320	1,300	29,200	16,800	3,240	147,000	48,700	4,410	580,000
4.....	8,850	1,340	32,000	17,400	3,410	160,000	49,700	4,120	553,000
5.....	9,320	1,400	a 35,000	16,500	3,200	143,000	49,200	3,840	510,000
6.....	9,320	1,420	35,700	15,700	3,160	134,000	50,200	3,850	522,000
7.....	9,360	1,370	34,600	14,900	2,840	114,000	50,800	3,330	457,000
8.....	9,320	1,400	35,200	13,600	2,680	97,700	48,700	3,170	417,000
9.....	10,000	1,690	45,600	12,700	2,460	84,400	45,100	3,640	443,000
10.....	10,600	1,900	54,400	12,000	2,300	a 75,000	42,600	3,550	408,000
11.....	10,400	2,000	56,200	11,100	2,130	63,800	39,300	3,320	352,000
12.....	9,780	1,810	47,700	10,400	1,960	55,000	38,800	2,870	301,000
13.....	9,440	1,670	42,600	11,100	1,980	50,300	44,600	3,020	364,000
14.....	9,360	1,680	42,500	12,400	1,950	65,300	51,800	3,090	432,000
15.....	9,360	1,460	36,900	12,900	1,700	59,200	58,300	3,280	516,000
16.....	9,280	1,410	35,300	12,200	1,530	50,400	66,200	3,610	645,000
17.....	8,810	1,420	33,800	12,000	1,570	50,900	68,500	4,190	775,000
18.....	8,390	1,460	33,100	12,200	1,500	49,400	66,200	4,130	738,000
19.....	7,840	1,360	28,800	11,800	1,380	44,000	62,800	3,490	592,000
20.....	7,280	1,170	23,000	10,900	1,400	41,200	61,700	3,470	578,000
21.....	7,080	1,120	21,400	10,400	1,750	49,100	59,400	3,400	a 550,000
22.....	7,490	1,200	24,300	10,600	1,380	38,900	59,400	3,190	512,000
23.....	7,520	1,190	24,200	11,100	1,290	38,700	55,000	3,260	484,000
24.....	7,280	1,120	22,000	11,800	1,400	a 45,000	50,800	3,390	465,000
25.....	7,560	1,030	21,000	12,900	1,420	49,500	48,700	2,850	375,000
26.....	7,990	1,090	23,500	18,000	1,480	s 76,400	44,600	2,810	338,000
27.....	8,360	1,310	29,600	32,100	4,650	s 380,000	42,100	3,000	341,000
28.....	9,440	1,900	48,400	32,900	5,180	460,000	38,800	2,700	a 280,000
29.....	11,300	2,220	67,700	35,200	5,280	502,000	35,200	2,400	228,000
30.....	12,400	2,430	81,400	39,800	5,780	621,000	31,200	2,160	182,000
31.....	--	--	--	48,700	6,520	857,000	--	--	--
Total.	266,560	--	1,100,600	528,100	--	4,809,700	1,508,300	--	14,430,000
	July			August			September		
1.....	28,000	1,960	148,000	14,100	9,700	369,000	6,940	18,000	337,000
2.....	25,300	1,880	128,000	18,900	22,800	1,160,000	6,280	12,300	209,000
3.....	23,800	1,680	108,000	16,500	18,700	833,000	6,840	8,550	158,000
4.....	22,100	1,500	89,500	16,800	21,400	971,000	6,500	6,030	106,000
5.....	20,800	1,400	a 79,000	17,700	26,200	1,250,000	5,870	4,900	77,700
6.....	19,200	1,300	67,400	16,200	16,300	713,000	5,490	3,720	55,100
7.....	17,400	1,250	58,700	15,400	15,500	644,000	5,320	5,250	75,400
8.....	16,200	1,160	50,700	13,900	16,600	623,000	5,070	7,150	97,900
9.....	15,400	1,150	47,000	12,400	11,800	395,000	4,790	4,460	57,700
10.....	15,400	1,960	81,500	11,500	8,100	252,000	4,640	3,090	38,700
11.....	14,600	1,360	53,600	10,200	6,520	180,000	4,420	2,900	34,600
12.....	14,600	1,860	73,300	10,400	6,000	168,000	4,200	2,100	23,800
13.....	13,400	3,780	137,000	9,600	7,600	197,000	4,060	1,550	17,000
14.....	12,400	2,100	70,300	9,080	4,750	116,000	3,920	1,500	15,900
15.....	12,200	1,210	39,900	8,810	5,900	140,000	3,850	1,410	14,700
16.....	12,400	1,930	64,600	9,000	4,500	109,000	3,720	1,370	13,800
17.....	14,100	3,320	126,000	8,540	4,500	104,000	3,680	1,200	a 12,000
18.....	18,300	5,900	s 303,000	8,770	5,760	136,000	3,700	944	9,430
19.....	15,400	5,700	a 240,000	7,630	4,100	84,500	3,640	801	7,870
20.....	14,400	5,700	a 220,000	6,840	3,900	72,000	3,640	900	8,850
21.....	14,400	8,090	315,000	6,480	4,000	a 70,000	3,550	843	8,080
22.....	14,900	8,900	358,000	6,150	6,800	113,000	3,450	762	7,100
23.....	14,900	6,500	261,000	6,410	4,000	69,200	3,430	679	6,290
24.....	14,100	5,030	191,000	7,380	5,800	116,000	3,430	711	6,580
25.....	12,700	3,850	132,000	7,380	8,100	161,000	3,410	800	7,370
26.....	11,800	3,300	a 110,000	6,410	10,000	173,000	3,340	890	8,030
27.....	10,900	2,950	86,800	7,500	9,780	s 224,000	3,280	863	7,640
28.....	10,400	2,500	70,200	11,300	19,800	s 728,000	3,200	896	7,740
29.....	9,720	2,220	58,300	12,000	19,100	619,000	3,200	750	6,480
30.....	9,520	2,700	69,400	11,300	18,200	555,000	3,200	720	6,220
31.....	10,200	5,370	156,000	8,770	16,000	a 380,000	--	--	--
Total.	478,940	--	3,993,000	333,350	--	11,724,700	130,060	--	1,441,980

Total discharge for year (cfs-days)..... 4,430,270

Total load for year (tons)..... 41,423,260

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued  
COLORADO RIVER AT LEES FERRY, A.R.I.Z.--Continued

Particle size analyses of suspended sediments, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
(Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
V, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample of analyte (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	
Oct. 5, 1952	10:00 a.m.	6,950	66	1,390	2,340	31	44	63	87	99	100	100	SPWCM
Oct. 5	10:00 a.m.	6,950	66	1,390	2,400	5	44	63	87	99	100	100	SPN
Oct. 16	6:30 a.m.	5,430	58	790	--	--	--	--	--	55	85	97	S
Oct. 25	9:00 a.m.	5,740	56	628	--	--	--	--	36	73	99	100	S
Nov. 5	8:15 a.m.	5,460	56	952	--	--	--	41	47	56	79	100	SBWCM
Nov. 15	3:15 p.m.	6,680	47	1,410	1,600	29	31	35	47	55	72	100	S
Nov. 25	2:00 p.m.	7,090	40	1,220	--	--	--	--	--	35	72	--	SPWCM
Dec. 5	2:30 p.m.	4,320	35	758	1,760	20	27	41	71	100	--	--	SPWCM
Dec. 15	1:45 p.m.	6,220	37	1,040	--	--	--	--	--	35	73	99	S
Dec. 24	3:30 p.m.	8,020	36	1,380	2,150	26	35	54	79	100	--	--	SPCW
Jan. 5, 1953	2:45 p.m.	5,370	35	870	--	--	--	--	--	39	70	100	V
Jan. 15	1:30 p.m.	7,280	41	1,400	--	--	--	--	--	39	76	98	S
Jan. 25	4:30 p.m.	6,870	40	1,280	2,790	22	27	41	75	99	100	100	SPWCM
Feb. 5	2:40 p.m.	6,700	41	1,180	--	--	--	--	--	39	74	100	V
Feb. 16	1:25 p.m.	6,640	43	1,310	--	--	--	--	--	34	73	100	V
Feb. 25	3:15 p.m.	5,870	40	834	--	--	--	--	--	35	76	100	V
Mar. 5	2:00 p.m.	6,540	44	994	--	--	--	--	--	44	72	98	S
Mar. 16	12:00 p.m.	7,580	49	1,540	4,330	45	54	67	85	98	100	100	SPWCM
Apr. 1	11:45 a.m.	7,480	55	1,240	3,240	29	40	54	75	98	100	100	SPWCM
Apr. 16	11:15 a.m.	9,440	55	1,320	4,320	34	46	62	82	99	100	100	SPWCM
Apr. 26	10:30 a.m.	7,950	66	1,030	4,740	20	31	45	71	98	100	100	SPWCM
May 4	10:30 a.m.	17,700	57	3,360	3,940	32	47	71	84	99	100	100	SPN
May 14	10:30 a.m.	12,400	57	3,360	3,170	9	38	71	84	99	100	100	SPWCM
May 25	10:00 a.m.	12,700	61	1,800	4,020	25	38	56	80	98	100	100	SPWCM
May 27	9:10 a.m.	33,800	64	1,500	3,560	19	31	50	71	93	100	100	SPWCM
June 1	8:50 a.m.	52,900	62	5,530	4,900	29	44	78	92	99	100	100	SPWCM
June 10	8:50 a.m.	42,600	63	3,230	5,000	37	53	59	85	98	100	100	SPWCM
June 17	10:30 a.m.	69,600	69	4,140	2,400	18	28	60	80	96	100	100	VFWCM
June 27	9:15 a.m.	41,200	69	2,820	5,860	14	24	54	77	95	100	100	VFWCM

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT LEE'S FERRY, ARIZ. --Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom within a valve; C, bottom within a valve; D, sedimentation; P, pipette; V, sieve; N, in native state;  
 V<sub>f</sub>, in distilled water; C<sub>m</sub>, mechanically dispersed; M<sub>c</sub>, chemically dispersed)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	
July 1, 1953	11:15 a.m.	17,700	79	1,070	--	--	--	--	--	56	79	100	--
July 10.	4:10 p.m.	15,100	80	2,320	5,090	41	57	79	91	98	100	100	SPWCM
July 17.	8:45 a.m.	14,400	79	3,200	3,130	46	68	83	93	99	99	100	SPWCM
July 17.	9:45 a.m.	14,400	78	3,200	4,220	9	58	83	93	99	99	100	SPN
July 23.	11:00 a.m.	15,100	82	6,270	4,000	63	79	91	96	100	100	--	SPWCM
July 21.	10:45 a.m.	11,100	81	2,980	4,210	53	67	81	92	98	99	100	VPWCM
July 30.	5:00 p.m.	9,780	80	3,740	3,400	55	73	88	96	100	100	--	SPWCM
July 31.	6:30 p.m.	11,300	78	6,610	3,630	46	66	88	97	99	100	--	SPWCM
Aug. 1.	9:40 a.m.	13,600	78	8,920	3,580	49	72	87	95	99	100	--	SPWCM
Aug. 1.	9:40 a.m.	13,600	78	8,920	3,730	12	72	87	95	99	100	--	SPWCM
Aug. 2.	10:10 a.m.	18,600	78	24,300	1,520	54	79	94	98	100	100	--	SPWCM
Aug. 3.	8:40 a.m.	18,800	76	17,800	3,970	31	53	94	98	100	100	--	SPWCM
Aug. 5.	8:50 a.m.	18,800	75	26,500	3,830	59	85	95	99	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 7.	9:50 a.m.	15,700	76	14,200	3,830	65	84	92	98	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 12.	2:15 p.m.	10,400	80	5,580	4,980	55	73	88	96	99	100	--	SPWCM
Aug. 12.	2:15 p.m.	10,400	80	5,580	4,980	4	75	88	96	99	100	--	SPN
Aug. 16.	11:20 a.m.	9,200	78	4,110	3,660	53	71	86	97	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 17.	9:40 a.m.	9,360	78	3,620	3,760	52	72	86	97	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 18.	11:05 a.m.	8,930	79	5,510	4,760	56	79	90	98	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 20.	9:15 a.m.	6,980	77	3,940	3,700	67	84	92	98	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 22.	4:40 p.m.	6,240	79	7,110	3,760	59	85	96	99	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 24.	9:30 a.m.	7,080	78	5,070	5,040	62	81	93	99	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 25.	11:00 a.m.	7,320	77	7,940	3,710	67	87	96	99	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 26.	4:30 p.m.	11,500	75	19,700	3,810	53	78	93	99	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 28.	1:15 p.m.	11,800	75	17,700	4,200	54	81	96	100	100	100	--	VPWCM
Aug. 30.	6:30 p.m.	11,800	75	18,200	4,880	53	83	95	99	100	100	--	VPWCM
Sept. 1.	11:15 a.m.	6,740	72	19,600	4,110	70	91	96	99	100	100	--	VPWCM

## PARIA RIVER BASIN

## PARIA RIVER AT LEES FERRY, ARIZ.

LOCATION.--At gaging station half a mile upstream from mouth and 1 mile northwest of Lees Ferry, Coconino County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--1,570 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analysis: October 1947 to February 1950.

Sediment records: October 1947 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 283,000 ppm July 31; maximum observed 599,000 ppm July 31; minimum daily, 3 ppm June 1-11.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 1,260,000 tons Aug. 28; minimum daily, less than 0.05 ton on many days.

EXTREMES, 1947-53.--Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 411,000 ppm Aug. 27, 1952; minimum daily, 1 ppm June 1-10, 1950.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 1,740,000 tons (revised) Aug. 5, 1948; minimum daily, less than 0.05 ton on many days.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

REVISIONS.--Revised figures of suspended sediment for water years 1948 and 1949 are given herewith:

Suspended sediment, water year October 1947 to September 1948

Month	Discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment (tons)
October 1947 .....	1,349.9	352,900
November .....	570	434
December .....	1,139	27,560
January 1948 .....	711.2	1,470
February .....	1,632.1	82,650
March .....	763	10,010
April .....	519.8	8,710
May .....	170.2	15,180
June .....	378.6	139,100
July .....	221.8	20,530
August .....	1,983.7	1,975,000
September .....	195.3	8,960
Total for year	9,634.6	2,643,000

## PARIA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## PARIA RIVER AT LEES FERRY, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1948 to September 1949

Date	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (percent)	Discharge (tons per day)
Oct. 1, 1948 .....	14	5.90	2,310
Oct. 31.....	160	6.95	s 47,000
Oct. Total.....	439	--	50,360
Nov. 1 .....	65	3.90	7,100
Nov. Total .....	612	--	10,670
Feb. 28, 1949 .....	191	3.83	s 21,900
Feb. Total.....	1,058.0	--	40,620
Apr. 5 .....	50	4.51	s 6,330
Apr. 7 .....	47	3.64	s 4,940
Apr. Total .....	1,067	--	42,830
June 5.....	113	8.48	s 29,300
June 6.....	154	6.32	s 27,600
June 7.....	253	14.3	s 110,000
June 8.....	80	6.75	s 16,500
June 9.....	187	13.4	s 112,000
June 10.....	74	4.63	s 9,820
June 14.....	32	4.10	3,670
June 18.....	60	6.42	s 16,800
June 19.....	291	31.0	s 417,000
June 20.....	66	13.0	s 28,700
June 21.....	30	4.35	3,650
June Total.....	1,668.1	--	787,000
July 11.....	47	9.95	s 25,300
July 12.....	26	14.1	s 12,500
July 13.....	26	10.0	7,540
July 14.....	12	4.80	1,610
July Total.....	210.9	--	47,670
Aug. 8 .....	188	26.2	s 282,000
Aug. 9 .....	243	19.3	s 169,000
Aug. 10 .....	58	12.0	s 20,500
Aug. 11 .....	22	6.90	4,250
Aug. 12 .....	17	3.28	1,560
Aug. 25 .....	36	7.73	s 15,800
Aug. 26 .....	17	8.16	s 4,510
Aug. 27 .....	6.5	4.60	837
Aug. Total .....	713.7	--	500,600
Sept. 14 .....	112	9.15	s 34,300
Sept. 15 .....	24	6.78	4,560
Sept. 16 .....	18	4.10	2,070
Sept. 29 .....	675	28.0	s 970,000
Sept. 30 .....	101	11.5	s 36,800
Sept. Total .....	1,178.8	--	1,057,000

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) .....  
 Total load for year (tons).....  
 Daily maximum load 970,000 tons Sept. 29.

9,873.9  
 2,592,000

s Computed by subdividing day.

## PARIA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## PARIA RIVER AT LEES FERRY, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean concen- tration (ppm)
	Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	
1.....	15	158	6.4	6.8			18	300	15
2.....	13	149	5.2	8.2			16	130	5.6
3.....	12	99	3.2	8.2			20	180	9.7
4.....	12	94	3.0	8.6			18	160	7.8
5.....	12	56	1.8	8.6			15	189	7.7
6.....	13			9.1		5	0.1	15	150
7.....	12			9.1				17	337
8.....	11			9.1				19	630
9.....	10			9.1				25	510
10.....	10			9.1				27	1,110
11.....	9.6		23	7.2				23	1,070
12.....	9.6			6.3				21	1,430
13.....	11			7.7	7	.2		21	1,090
14.....	10			9.6				24	902
15.....	9.6			11				30	1,390
16.....	9.6			14	30	1.1		28	1,290
17.....	9.1			16	60	2.6		28	1,110
18.....	9.1			16	59	2.5		37	990
19.....	8.2			15	110	4.5		46	3,730
20.....	7.7		14	16	100	4.3		38	6,030
21.....	7.7			17	270	12		33	2,940
22.....	8.2			16	180	7.8		29	770
23.....	7.2			16	230	9.9		19	360
24.....	5.9			16	241	10		14	480
25.....	6.8			10	163	4.4		8.2	150
26.....	6.8			10	170	4.6		14	180
27.....	6.8			6.8	100	1.8		20	352
28.....	6.8		4	7.7	140	2.9		16	260
29.....	6.8			8.6	136	3.2		18	503
30.....	5.5			16	450	s 23		16	431
31.....	5.5			--	--	--		20	566
Total.	287.5	--	30.2	328.8	--	96.6	693.2	--	2,521.0
	January			February			March		
1.....	26	400	a 28	19	380	19	22	560	33
2.....	22	330	s 23	19	310	16	23	600	37
3.....	19	454	s 30	21	250	14	21	400	23
4.....	22	858	s 62	21	334	19	18	380	18
5.....	25	744	s 53	20	240	13	16	370	16
6.....	24	586	s 44	20	176	9.5	20	490	26
7.....	30	775	s 79	19	136	7.0	18	370	18
8.....	35	1,030	97	19	230	12	16	320	14
9.....	29	910	71	19	220	11	19	300	15
10.....	29	1,630	128	21	210	12	19	250	13
11.....	29	950	74	18	180	7.8	20	330	18
12.....	29	680	53	21	180	9.1	17	399	18
13.....	29	350	27	20	200	11	16	463	20
14.....	31	440	37	15	200	8.1	15	328	13
15.....	44	1,770	210	20	290	16	15	220	8.9
16.....	27	2,200	160	19	180	9.2	15	191	7.7
17.....	19	2,250	115	15	250	10	15	120	4.9
18.....	23	1,320	82	16	360	16	14	124	4.7
19.....	28	1,000	76	15	280	11	14	140	5.3
20.....	27	630	46	10	200	5.4	13	138	4.8
21.....	24	610	40	7.7	170	3.5	13	110	3.9
22.....	27	570	42	6.8	130	2.4	21	259	15
23.....	18	500	24	9.6	220	a 5.7	17	250	11
24.....	23	600	37	22	620	37	15	230	9.3
25.....	24	800	52	29	1,430	112	13	170	6.0
26.....	23	630	39	23	1,100	s 74	13	130	4.6
27.....	23	420	26	26	870	61	11	170	5.0
28.....	21	500	28	24	560	36	10	830	22
29.....	18	400	19	--	--	--	10	760	21
30.....	21	400	23	--	--	--	14	530	20
31.....	21	470	27	--	--	--	18	520	25
Total.	790	--	1,852	515.1	--	567.7	501	--	461.1

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## PARIA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## PARIA RIVER AT LEES FERRY, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	18	600	29	6.3			4.7		
2.....	13	400	14	8.2			4.2		
3.....	10	220	5.9	7.2			4.2		
4.....	6.8	110	2.0	5.9			3.8		
5.....	6.3	70	a1.2	5.5			4.2		
6.....	9.4	296	s 18	5.5			4.2		
7.....	46	4,050	s 544	5.1			5.1		
8.....	17	14,500	666	3.8			4.7		
9.....	10	6,200	167	3.8			3.8		
10.....	9.1	1,190	29	5.1			3.4		
11.....	7.7	500	10	5.1			3.8		
12.....	6.3	220	3.7	4.7			11	10,400	1,200
13.....	5.9	190	3.0	4.7			6.3	80	1.4
14.....	5.9	60	1.0	5.1			4.7	108	1.4
15.....	8.6	100	2.3	5.1			3.8	61	.6
16.....	9.6	105	2.7	5.1			4.2	40	.4
17.....	7.2	124	2.4	5.1			4.2	24	.3
18.....	5.1	69	1.0	5.1			3.8		
19.....	5.1	42	.6	12	255	8.3	3.0		
20.....	5.1			12			3.4		
21.....	5.5			8.2			4.2		
22.....	5.1			5.9			4.2		
23.....	5.9			5.1			3.8		
24.....	5.1			4.7			3.0		
25.....	5.1			4.2			3.0		
26.....	4.7			4.7			3.4		
27.....	4.7			4.7			3.4		
28.....	5.1			4.2			3.4		
29.....	4.7			4.2			3.4		
30.....	4.7			4.2			3.4		
31.....	--	--	--	4.2			--	--	--
Total.	262.7	--	1,505.0	174.7	--	11.3	125.7	--	1,205.4
July			August			September			
1.....	4.7			428	269,000	s 500,000	16	26,500	1,140
2.....	3.4			257	208,000	s 187,000	14	17,000	643
3.....	3.4			56	151,000	s 26,200	12	4,500	146
4.....	3.8			21	93,000	s 5,660	11	400	12
5.....	3.4			14	50,000	1,960	9.1	120	2.9
6.....	3.8			11	24,000	713	8.0	80	1.7
7.....	4.2			9.5	10,000	256	5.7	120	1.8
8.....	4.2			8.1	830	18	5.7	90	1.4
9.....	4.7			7.6	448	9	5.7	80	1.2
10.....	5.9	577	9	7.2	138	3	7.2	170	3.3
11.....	33	87,600	s 19,000	24	25,000	1,620	18	1,950	s 121
12.....	41	142,000	s 18,300	15	3,500	142	13	19,000	a 670
13.....	16	173,000	s 8,430	10	1,580	43	9.6	36,800	989
14.....	64	239,000	s 82,000	7.2	4,000	78	9.1	30,400	747
15.....	48	197,000	s 31,800	7.2	268	5	8.7	9,300	218
16.....	245	267,000	s 382,000	50	91,800	s 15,700	8.7	1,060	25
17.....	63	145,000	s 29,300	23	73,200	s 4,560	6.8	340	a 6
18.....	234	219,000	s 172,000	10	40,000	1,120	6.1	240	4.0
19.....	337	181,000	s 270,000	9.5	13,000	333	6.1	170	2.8
20.....	47	75,800	s 10,500	6.2	4,500	75	6.1	130	2.1
21.....	21	68,000	4,000	5.8	3,000	a 47	5.0	86	1.2
22.....	14	36,000	1,410	192	125,000	s 126,000	4.4	75	.9
23.....	11	25,000	s 742	105	140,000	s 44,700	5.0	67	.9
24.....	8.1	16,000	350	33	66,500	s 6,410	5.3	39	.6
25.....	9.1	11,500	283	16	50,000	2,240	5.7	32	.5
26.....	17	59,000	sa 3,620	43	40,100	s 13,800	5.3	32	.5
27.....	9.1	12,500	307	610	125,000	s 720,000	5.0	34	.5
28.....	24	42,200	s 5,460	1,200	246,000	s 1,260,000	4.7	29	.4
29.....	25	45,300	s 5,630	149	116,000	s 60,600	4.7	23	.3
30.....	119	168,000	s 81,100	30	95,000	s 8,260	5.3	33	.5
31.....	290	283,000	s 423,000	20	50,000	2,800	--	--	--
Total.	1,716.8	--	1,549,241	3,385.3	--	2,990,352	237.0	--	4,744.5

Total discharge for year (cfs-days) ..... 9,017.8  
 Total load for year (tons) ..... 4,553,587.8

s Computed by subdividing day

t Less than 0.5 ton.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN

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## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT WOODRUFF, ARIZ.

LOCATION.—At gaging station at highway bridge in Woodruff, Navajo County, 3½ miles downstream from Silver Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.—8100 square miles approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: June 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: June 1950 to September 1953.

Sediment records: June 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,350 ppm June 15; minimum, 152 ppm Aug. 1.

Hardness: Maximum, 422 ppm Sept. 29; minimum, 62 ppm Dec. 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 2.170 microhos June 15; minimum observed 2.170 microhos Aug. 1.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 90°F July 23; minimum observed 33°F Dec. 25-28.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily 41,300 ppm Mar. 9; maximum observed, 84,500 ppm July 16; minimum daily, no flow on many days.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily 0 tons on many days.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,350 ppm June 15, 1953; minimum, 1,32 ppm Mar. 21-31, Apr. 1, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 422 ppm Sept. 29, 1953; minimum, 40 ppm July 29-30, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 2.170 microhos June 15, 1953; minimum observed 1.66 microhos Mar. 30, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 90°F July 23, 1953; minimum observed 33°F several days during December and January.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily 66,400 ppm Aug. 4, 1951; minimum daily, no flow on many days.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 409,000 tons Aug. 28, 1951; minimum daily, 0 tons on many days.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Dissolved solids (sum)										Dissolved solids as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)				
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Po- tas- si- um (K)	Car- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sub- car- bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fuo- ri- de (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ton (B)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day	Per- cent so- dium adso- rp- tion	Per- cent so- dium	So- dium adso- rp- tion ratio
Oct. 1-10, 1952	6.15	24	49	22	27	236	0	53	16	0.3	307	0.42	5.10	213	20	21	0.8	504	8.0
Oct. 11-20	4.59	23	46	23	29	218	6	57	18	.2	309	3.83	210	21	23	.9	504	--	
Oct. 21-31	2.76	23	47	23	29	205	8	64	20	.2	315	4.3	2.35	212	31	23	.9	506	--
Nov. 1-10	4.0	21	47	21	32	201	6	66	21	.2	313	4.3	3.38	204	30	25	1.0	499	--
Nov. 11-20	22.6	19	30	14	76	208	8	72	27	1.0	349	47	21.3	132	0	56	2.9	559	--
Nov. 21-30	28.5	19	25	7.6	115	250	9	67	38	1.1	405	55	26.9	94	0	73	5.2	667	--
Dec. 1-10	30.0	22	41	18	85	281	0	69	40	1.6	415	56	33.6	176	0	51	2.8	681	7.8
Dec. 11-20	40.0	17	18	4.2	123	74	0	74	48	.9	401	55	43.3	62	0	81	6.8	656	7.9
Dec. 21-31	40.6	23	41	16	82	244	6	74	42	1.5	406	55	44.5	168	0	51	2.8	658	--
Jan. 1-10, 1953	16.1	18	73	27	129	234	6	199	117	.0	684	93	29.7	293	92	49	3.3	1,110	--
Jan. 11-20	13.1	20	62	28	81	238	7	131	72	.5	518	70	18.3	270	63	39	2.1	839	--
Jan. 21-31	9.50	23	52	26	33	240	7	62	25	.4	346	47	8.87	236	28	23	.9	568	--
Feb. 1-10	7.81	21	52	25	41	223	10	75	31	.5	364	50	7.68	232	34	28	1.2	592	8.3
Feb. 11-20	9.77	22	51	25	33	249	0	61	24	.2	338	46	8.92	230	26	24	.9	551	7.9
Feb. 21-28	11.3	22	52	26	35	247	6	61	26	.0	349	47	10.6	236	24	24	1.0	562	--
Mar. 3-9	31.6	20	56	24	146	40	0	187	116	.3	667	91	56.9	238	42	57	4.1	1,080	8.1
Mar. 10-15	147	19	19	15	61	144	0	41	26	.3	241	33	95.7	64	0	68	3.4	588	8.0
Mar. 14-20	14.9	19	51	15	83	165	6	124	74	.4	447	61	16.0	188	54	49	2.6	724	8.0
Mar. 21-31	5.29	20	54	22	33	244	0	59	25	.2	455	47	225	225	25	24	1.0	531	8.2

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT WOODRUFF, ARIZ.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	So- dium (Na)	Po- tas- si- um (K)	Car- bo- nate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ri- de (Cl)	Fluo- ri- de (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non- carbon- ate min- erals	Per- cent so- dium	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	pH	
														Parts per mil- lion	Tons per ac- re- foot	Tons per cu- mi-	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per cu- mi-	Parts per mil- lion			
Apr. 1-10, 1953	3.17	21	53	22	29	225	5	60	22	0.2				323	0.44	2.16	222	30	22	0.9	526	--
Apr. 1-20	1.32	19	54	22	30	209	6	61	25	.2				329	.45	1.17	225	44	22	.9	534	--
Apr. 21-30	6.21	18	49	22	29	208	6	61	22	.3				309	.42	5.18	213	32	23	.8	504	--
May 1-10	6.56	18	47	23	27	205	9	64	20	.3				302	.41	5.35	212	30	22	.8	499	--
May 11-20	1.43	18	46	24	31	220	0	64	24	.2				315	.43	1.22	214	33	24	.9	516	8.0
May 21 <sup>a</sup>	.01	12	41	26	45	216	0	83	31	.5				344	.47	.01	210	32	45	1.4	563	8.0
June 13	56.0	9.5	36	7.2	49	122	0	88	24	1.2				275	.37	41.6	120	20	47	1.9	459	7.9
June 14, 16-20	2.58	13	47	22	72	189	0	128	56	1.0				432	.39	3.01	208	53	43	2.2	727	7.4
June 15	3.7	13	356	109	0	486	56	334	5.0					1,350	1.84	13.5	284	195	73	9.2	2,170	--
June 21-29 <sup>a</sup>	.23	15	56	21	164	176	0	239	138	.3				718	.98	.45	226	82	61	4.8	1,180	7.9
July 10 <sup>a</sup>	32.0	9.1	45	22	172	164	0	247	137	.5				714	.97	61.7	203	68	65	5.3	1,190	7.7
July 11-15, 17-20	73.2	19	67	9.2	182	0	56	35	1.4					306	.42	60.5	110	0	57	2.8	516	7.8
July 16	247	22	103	21	75	254	0	247	32	1.4				625	.85	417	344	136	32	1.8	947	--
July 21-31	99.5	17	34	7.9	55	156	0	69	29	1.5				290	.39	77.9	118	0	50	2.2	481	7.6
Aug. 1	--	133	22	5.5	24	114	0	29	6	10				152	.21	54.6	78	0	40	1.2	248	--
Aug. 2-10	14.9	17	32	8.2	36	142	0	50	20	1.3				234	.32	9.41	114	0	41	1.5	393	7.7
Aug. 11-20	42.0	20	49	11	138	280	0	128	70	.9				555	.75	62.9	168	0	64	4.6	904	--
Aug. 12-20	41.9	29	41	10	35	132	0	85	16	2.7				284	.39	32.1	144	36	35	1.3	445	8.0
Aug. 21-27	1.10	35	37	13	27	137	0	62	20	.2				261	.35	1.46	34	29	1.0	392	7.8	
Aug. 28-31	31.0	58	25	6.2	76	178	0	60	31	.4				345	.47	28.9	88	0	65	3.5	492	7.9
Sept. 1-10	1.51	44	34	12	33	158	0	50	18	.2				269	.37	11.0	134	5	35	1.3	396	--
Sept. 11-20	.98	20	47	18	28	192	0	62	21	.4				290	.39	.77	192	34	24	.9	477	7.6
Sept. 21-28, 30	1.42	20	45	21	26	201	0	60	20	.2				291	.40	1.12	199	22	22	.8	484	7.7
Sept. 29	3.4	16	110	36	68	231	0	211	112	4.4				671	.91	6.16	422	233	26	1.4	1,110	7.4
Weighted average b	20.0	21	--	39	13	70	201	--	82	38				363	0.49	19.6	151	0	50	2.5	588	--

a No flow May 22 to June 12, June 30 to July 9.

b Average for 333 days of flow.

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT WOODRUFF, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement generally taken between 11 a. m. and 6 p. m.  
 No flow on most days when no temperature is shown.<sup>7</sup>

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	70	55	34	36	35	45	60	55	--	--	70	70
2	70	53	35	38	45	45	66	55	--	--	b70	75
3	68	50	34	40	47	45	65	57	--	--	b76	76
4	68	53	34	39	50	44	63	63	--	--	b77	79
5	69	53	34	39	48	49	60	66	--	--	b78	80
6	69	52	34	38	48	51	59	67	--	--	b81	80
7	63	51	35	41	47	53	53	66	--	--	b83	81
8	63	51	36	44	45	53	59	65	--	--	80	a64
9	63	48	34	44	39	54	58	57	--	--	75	83
10	65	48	34	47	41	52	a45	57	--	75	b75	75
11	66	50	36	44	44	58	48	58	--	80	70	79
12	66	47	35	48	38	49	48	64	--	79	77	b77
13	64	49	38	48	41	52	50	70	82	b80	79	81
14	63	49	36	44	--	55	55	64	a70	b80	70	73
15	59	45	40	39	40	55	65	62	a72	80	70	71
16	61	41	37	40	39	52	65	62	a70	70	80	b76
17	59	39	38	39	45	58	58	67	a67	b70	b80	b72
18	60	35	39	44	45	58	65	70	a68	70	81	73
19	60	34	39	47	39	56	64	68	a60	80	81	b74
20	60	34	40	48	38	50	63	69	84	78	b78	75
21	60	35	37	44	42	51	65	70	82	a74	80	69
22	59	38	39	42	41	55	58	--	85	b81	a75	69
23	59	36	36	42	44	59	60	--	73	b90	b78	b70
24	59	34	34	43	40	60	67	--	76	80	b82	69
25	59	33	38	42	45	60	68	--	78	79	80	69
26	55	33	37	44	48	66	69	--	77	80	74	71
27	57	33	38	47	48	68	59	--	80	b78	78	--
28	58	33	36	44	44	58	55	--	79	b75	73	67
29	58	35	37	47	--	57	59	--	79	b72	75	67
30	56	33	39	41	--	52	55	--	--	b70	77	b64
31	55	--	38	45	--	58	--	--	--	b70	75	--
Aver-	62	43	36	43	43	54	59	63	75	77	77	73
age												

a Measurement obtained before 11 a. m.

b Measurement obtained after 6 p. m.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT WOODRUFF, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concentration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	14	65	2.5		45			223	
2.....	10	54	1.5		222			126	
3.....	7	51	1.0		70			76	
4.....	5	26	.4		33			61	
5.....	5	36	.5		36			73	
6.....	4.5	34	.4		41			89	
7.....	4	28	.3		40			87	
8.....	4	38	.4	4	41	a 0.6	30	52	
9.....	4.0	41	.4		59			114	
10.....	4.0	37	.4		39			4,400	
11.....	3.7	34	.3		42			9,300	
12.....	6.3	36	.8		40			8,800	
13.....	5.4	43	.6		41			7,600	
14.....	5.4	42	.6		47			6,000	
15.....	5.4	46	.7		73			4,700	
16.....	4.0	42	.4	20	96	5.2		3,500	
17.....	4.0	35	.4	80	210	45		3,800	
18.....	4.0	45	.5	50	12,900	s 2,630		4,800	
19.....	4.0	41	.4		9,600			7,000	
20.....	3.7	49	.5		9,570		50	7,460	
21.....	3.7	30	.3	28	6,880	a 700		7,200	
22.....	3.7	32	.3					4,000	
23.....	3.4	36	.3		8,770			3,600	
24.....	2.8	34	.3		7,390			60	603
25.....	2.8	32	.2		1,100			1,160	188
26.....	2.8	35	.3	33	2,000	178	40	502	54
27.....	2.4	33	.2		6,300		40	301	33
28.....	2.2	28	.2	28	5,200	a 300	30	62	5.0
29.....		31	.2		1,300		29	66	5.2
30.....	2.2	35	.2		549		18	38	1.8
31.....		36	.2	--	--	--	18	66	3.2
Total.	137.8	--	15.7	551	--	8,987.2	1,147	--	9,851.2
	January			February			March		
1.....	16	25	1.1	8.2	33	0.7	14	197	7.4
2.....	16	25	1.1	7.8	31	.6	15	90	3.6
3.....	16	28	1.2	7.3	35	.7	16	70	3.0
4.....	16	40	1.7	6.8	39	.7	14	52	2.0
5.....	15	32	1.3	7.3	49	1.0	14	48	1.8
6.....	16	42	1.8	7.8	59	1.2	14	57	2.2
7.....	18	66	3.2	8.7	62	1.5	30	592	s 59
8.....	17	59	2.7	7.8	163	3.4	48	28,100	s 3,670
9.....	16	46	2.0	8.2	82	1.8	85	41,300	s 10,100
10.....	15	35	1.4	8.2	69	1.5	234	11,200	s 7,340
11.....	15	36	1.5	8.7	44	1.0	210	8,000	4,540
12.....	14	50	1.9	9.2	31	.8	96	4,700	s 1,200
13.....	14	51	1.9	10	29	.8	49	2,800	370
14.....	14	84	3.2	11	--	e 1.0	28	800	60
15.....	13	44	1.5	10	25	.7	19	196	10
16.....	12	22	.7	10	41	1.1	14	164	6.2
17.....	12	5	.2	9.8	46	1.2	13	139	4.9
18.....	12	12	.4	9.2	392	9.7	11	110	3.3
19.....	13	24	.8	10	73	2.0	10	167	4.5
20.....	12	58	1.9	9.8	48	1.3	9.2	520	13
21.....	10	63	1.7	9.2	37	.9	9.2	191	4.7
22.....	9.2	53	1.3	9.8	39	1.0	7.8	86	1.8
23.....	9.2	25	.6	9.8	59	1.6	6.8	60	1.1
24.....	9.8	18	.5	11	56	1.7	4.4	60	.7
25.....	9.8	16	.4	11	42	1.2	3.4	256	2.4
26.....	9.8	33	.9	11	33	1.0	3.0	53	.4
27.....	9.8	34	.9	10	50	1.4	2.8	49	.4
28.....	9.8	49	1.3	12	87	2.8	2.8	184	1.4
29.....	9.2	51	1.3	--	--	--	5.4	87	1.3
30.....	9.2	49	1.2	--	--	--	6.8	98	1.8
31.....	9.2	41	1.0	--	--	--	5.4	273	4.0
Total.	397.0	--	42.6	259.6	--	44.3	1,001.0	--	27,420.9

e Estimated.

s Computed by Subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated discharge graph.

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT WOODRUFF, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April		May		June	
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	4.9	74	1.0	6.8	110	2.0
2.....	4.0	55	.6	7.3	86	1.7
3.....	2.4	50	.3	7.8	106	2.2
4.....	2.8	85	.6	8.2	76	1.7
5.....	3.4	87	.8	7.3	73	1.4
6.....	2.4	175	1.1	5.8	67	1.0
7.....	2.2	105	.6	5.8	143	2.2
8.....	1.9	274	1.4	5.8	165	2.6
9.....	4.0	95	1.0	5.4	116	1.7
10.....	3.7	103	1.0	5.4	80	1.2
11.....	1.3	106	.4	5.8	77	1.2
12.....	1.0	42	.1	3.0	60	.5
13.....	.6	34	.1	.8	47	.1
14.....	.2	34	(t)	.7	47	.1
15.....	.1	30	(t)	.6	45	.1
16.....	.1	49	(t)	.6	40	.1
17.....	.1	60	(t)	.6	37	.1
18.....	1.0	75	.2	.8	40	.1
19.....	4.4	105	1.2	1.0	58	.2
20.....	4.4	120	1.4	.4	66	.1
21.....	4.9	142	1.9	.1	49	(t)
22.....	5.8	122	1.9	0	--	0
23.....	5.8	113	1.8	0	--	0
24.....	7.3	115	2.3	0	--	0
25.....	8.2	126	2.8	0	--	0
26.....	6.8	105	1.9	0	--	0
27.....	6.3	129	2.2	0	--	0
28.....	5.8	127	2.0	0	--	0
29.....	5.8	100	1.6	0	--	0
30.....	5.4	160	2.3	0	--	0
31.....	--	--	--	0	--	--
Total.	107.0	--	32.6	80.0	--	20.3
					77.3	--
						3,385.2
	July		August		September	
1.....	0	--	0	133	22,000	\$11,600
2.....	0	--	0	64	21,600	\$4,210
3.....	0	--	0	27	1,500	109
4.....	0	--	0	23	252	16
5.....	0	--	0	10	157	4.2
6.....	0	--	0	4	95	1.0
7.....	0	--	0	2	48	.3
8.....	0	--	0	1	92	.2
9.....	0	--	0	1	98	.3
10.....	32	22,600	s 3,300	2	87	.5
11.....	43	13,500	s 2,190	42	26,500	\$5,870
12.....	9.2	300	7.5	15	6,400	259
13.....	7.3	1,000	20	6.1	2,280	s 72
14.....	12	2,000	65	292	25,900	s 26,300
15.....	7.7	2,840	s 184	40	7,000	756
16.....	247	34,200	s 33,500	12	199	6.4
17.....	307	32,600	s 33,600	5	108	1.5
18.....	22,500	s 13,300	3	92	.8	1.0
19.....	60	3,500	567	1.9	80	.4
20.....	20	400	22	1.7	100	.5
21.....	7.8	242	5.1	.7	70	.1
22.....	1.9	163	.8	1.5	117	.5
23.....	.7	95	.2	1.0	91	.2
24.....	.2	94	s 1	1.9	103	.5
25.....	11	7,130	s 785	1.1	92	.3
26.....	11	7,380	s 432	.5	96	.1
27.....	34	7,280	s 1,310	1.0	300	.8
28.....	100	21,100	s 8,040	77	17,200	s 4,470
29.....	440	12,700	s 53,900	34	4,100	s 525
30.....	396	35,400	s 40,200	8.7	318	7.5
31.....	92	25,900	s 7,080	4.4	259	3.1
Total.	2,032.8	--	198,508.7	817.5	--	54,216.2
					41.1	--
						36.8
Total discharge for year (cfs-days) . . . . .						6,649.1
Total load for year (tons) . . . . .						302,541.7

e Estimated.

s Computed by Subdividing day.

t Less than 0.05 ton.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT WOODRUFF, ARIZ.--Continued

(Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water; W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspended material (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	
Oct. 30, 1952	5:30 p.m.	2.2	56	35	--	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	S
Nov. 17	5:00 p.m.	23	262	2,960	93	98	98	100	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
Nov. 18	11:30 a.m.	112	34	21,500	4,360	90	100	--	--	--	--	--	SPN
Nov. 18	11:30 a.m.	112	34	21,500	3,340	97	98	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
Nov. 21	4:30 p.m.	33	35	5,190	3,340	96	97	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
Nov. 24	3:30 p.m.	33	34	15,100	3,640	96	97	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
Dec. 10	5:00 p.m.	59	34	7,950	3,180	89	99	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
Dec. 22	4:00 p.m.	33	39	3,140	2,640	95	98	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
Dec. 31	4:00 p.m.	18	38	.66	.82	--	--	98	99	100	--	--	S
Mar. 9, 1953	4:00 p.m.	65	54	42,800	820	86	88	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
Mar. 10	3:00 p.m.	347	52	15,100	3,420	80	95	98	99	100	--	--	SPWCM
Mar. 10	3:00 p.m.	347	52	15,100	3,480	15	93	98	99	100	--	--	SPN
Mar. 10	5:00 p.m.	305	52	11,300	3,570	80	93	99	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
Mar. 10	4:00 p.m.	9.8	50	526	--	--	--	98	99	100	--	--	S
Mar. 30	4:00 p.m.	5.8	52	98	--	--	--	95	96	99	100	--	S
Apr. 10	8:30 a.m.	6.3	45	103	--	--	--	98	100	--	--	--	S
Apr. 30	4:00 p.m.	5.4	55	209	--	--	--	99	99	100	--	--	S
June 13	7:00 a.m.	116	78	12,200	4,150	72	97	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 10	4:30 p.m.	43	75	71,800	4,110	81	100	--	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 11	11:30 a.m.	39	70	19,500	5,370	86	99	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 16	4:00 p.m.	459	70	84,500	4,040	51	78	98	100	--	--	--	VFWCM
July 16	7:45 p.m.	367	70	25,700	4,000	70	95	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 18	7:30 a.m.	343	70	32,600	3,920	77	96	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 20	12:00 p.m.	20	78	311	780	91	95	97	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 26	6:30 p.m.	2.2	80	380	1,020	81	99	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 28	7:30 a.m.	1,477	68	44,100	2,540	81	99	100	--	--	--	--	VFWCM
July 28	7:30 p.m.	1,210	72	30,500	4,190	56	79	98	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
July 30	6:30 p.m.	1,129	70	29,100	4,420	76	98	100	--	--	--	--	SPWCM

		SPWCM		SPWCM		SPWCM		SPWCM		SPWCM		SPWCM		SPWCM	
Aug. 1, 1963	....	5:00 p.m.	65	70	5,910	70	3,590	70	86	70	99	99	100	--	--
Aug. 11 .....	12:00 m.	.....	88	70	67,600	.....	4,920	.....	70	99	100	--	--	--	--
Aug. 14 .....	10:00 a.m.	.....	332	68	26,800	.....	3,650	.....	64	94	99	100	--	--	--
Aug. 15 .....	5:00 p.m.	.....	35	70	1,050	.....	2,620	.....	63	99	100	--	--	--	--
Aug. 28 .....	4:00 p.m.	.....	112	73	22,400	.....	3,500	.....	83	98	100	--	--	--	--

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT CAMERON, ARIZ.

LOCATION.—At bridge on U. S. Highway 89 at Cameron, Coconino County, 12 miles upstream from gaging station which is 9.5 miles downstream from Moenkopi Wash.

DRAINEAGE AREA.—26,500 square miles (approximately above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: October 1951 to September 1953.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for station near Cameron (below Moenkopi Wash) for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283. Appreciable inflow between sampling site and gaging station during periods of storm runoff from Moenkopi Wash and several small arroyos.

## Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)				
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Carbo-nate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul-fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Ni-trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor-on (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per acre-foot	Percent calcium-magnesium	Non-carbonate	Percent sodium-sulfate
Oct. 1-2, 1952 .....	22	27	7.2	176	257	0	116	104	0.8	8.1	569	0.80	97	0	80	7.8	967	7.9			
Nov. 24-25 .....	17	25	7.0	241	263	8	128	184	.6	4.7	744	1.01	92	0	85	11	1,250	--			
Dec. 8-11 .....	15	37	8.7	276	225	6	135	280	.5	4.2	873	1.19	128	0	82	11	1,530	--			
Jan. 2-7, 9-10, 1953	16	50	12	306	236	8	154	335	5	1.7	989	1.36	174	0	79	10	1,750	--			
Jan. 11-20 .....	18	54	15	312	239	5	163	355	.5	2.4	1,040	1.41	196	0	78	9.7	1,830	--			
Jan. 21-27, 29 .....	23	70	18	366	224	6	176	410	.5	1.8	1,240	1.69	246	0	76	10	2,160	--			
Feb. 1-2, 10 .....	15	50	12	236	159	0	91	325	.3	1.5	809	1.10	174	44	75	7.8	1,490	7.9			
Feb. 11-17 .....	12	43	11	196	142	0	72	275	.3	1.1	680	.92	152	36	74	6.9	1,250	7.8			
Feb. 21, 23-26 .....	16	44	12	198	144	0	90	271	.4	1.5	704	.96	160	42	73	6.8	1,280	8.0			
Mar. 14-16-20 .....	15	23	5.6	128	186	0	54	109	.6	1.1	427	.58	80	0	78	6.2	746	7.8			
Mar. 23-31 .....	13	18	3.9	89	147	0	36	68	.4	.7	301	.41	61	0	76	5.0	517	7.9			
Apr. 4, 6-7, 10 .....	11	22	5.1	80	127	0	34	81	.4	.5	296	.40	76	0	70	4.0	524	7.9			
Apr. 11, 15-18 .....	16	34	7.2	100	129	0	50	131	.3	.9	402	.55	114	9	66	4.1	728	7.7			
July 18-19 .....	23	10	3.1	124	244	0	51	38	--	1.8	371	.50	38	0	88	8.8	567	7.6			
July 20-21, 23-24, 29 .....	21	92	22	284	327	0	293	280	.8	.8	1,140	1.55	320	0	66	6.8	1,820	7.4			
July 30-31, Aug. 1 .....	20	26	5.8	151	233	0	153	55	.8	.8	527	.72	68	0	79	7.0	830	7.5			
Aug. 3-5, 8 .....	21	66	16	218	347	0	220	138	.8	.4	851	1.16	230	0	67	6.3	1,340	7.4			
Aug. 27-28 .....	20	12	2.8	160	234	0	95	75	.8	.7	476	.65	42	0	89	11	770	7.7			

a No flow at gaging station Oct. 11 to Nov. 22, Apr. 27 to July 11, Sept. 10-30.

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT CAMERON, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
/Once-daily measurement, generally taken between 12 m. and 4 p.m.<sup>7</sup>

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	78	--	--	--	b 34	--	--				--	
2	74	--	--	a 54	40	--	--				--	
3	--	--	--	42	40	--	--				--	
4	--	--	--	44	--	--	62				--	
5	--	--	--	34	44	--	--				--	
6	--	--	--	38	48	--	57				--	
7	--	--	--	42	--	--	50				--	
8	--	--	a 34	--	46	--	--				--	
9	--	--	34	52	--						--	
10	--	--	36	50	46	--	57				--	
11	--	--	38	50	a 48	--	b 51				--	
12	--	--	--	a 48	42	--	--				--	
13	--	--	--	44	50	--	--				--	
14	--	--	--	39	48	50	--				--	
15	--	--	--	40	46	--	62				--	
16	--	--	--	b 52	48	45	64				--	
17	--	--	--	38	42	a 50	66				--	
18	--	--	--	40	--	50	--			60		
19	--	--	--	46	--	55	--			a 58		
20	--	--	--	40	--	50	--			62		
21	--	--	--	44	42	--	--			a 60		
22	--	--	--	42	--	--	--			--		
23	--	--	--	40	40	b 54	--			60		
24	--	38	--	42	38	a 62	--			a 58		
25	--	34	--	40	48	b 54	--			--		
26	--	--	--	b 32	55	62	--			--		
27	--	--	--	--	--	62	--			--		
28	--	--	--	--	--	60	--			--		
29	--	--	--	b 32	--	60	--			a 58		
30	--	--	--	--	--	62	--			--		
31	--	--	--	40	--	62	--			--		
Aver-	age	--	--	--	42	--	--	--	--	--	--	

a Reading obtained between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m.

b Reading obtained before 12 m.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued  
COLORADO RIVER NEAR GRAND CANYON, ARIZ.

**LOCATION.**--At gaging station at Kaibab Bridge, a quarter of a mile upstream from Bright Angel Creek, 11 miles by trail northeast of Grand Canyon, Coconino County, 26 miles downstream from Little Colorado River, and 267 miles upstream from Hoover Dam.

**DRAINAGE AREA.**--137,800 square miles, approximately.

**RECORDS AVAILABLE.**--Chemical analyses, August 1925 to November 1942, September 1943 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: October 1926 to October 1942, September 1943 to September 1953.

Sediment records: October 1925 to November 1942, September 1943 to September 1953.

**EXTREMES, 1952-53.**--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,310 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 335 ppm June 21-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 626 ppm Sept. 1-10; minimum, 221 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 2,070 micromhos Sept. 11; minimum observed, 430 micromhos June 20.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 81°F July 26-28; minimum, 36°F several days during September and January.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 33,600 ppm July 31; maximum observed, 49,700 ppm July 31; minimum daily, 151 ppm Dec. 7.

**SEDIMENT LOADS.**--Maximum daily, 1,400,000 tons June 16, 17; minimum daily, 1,760 tons Sept. 28.

**EXTREMES, 1952-53.**--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,890 ppm Sept. 21-30, 1942; minimum, 225 ppm June 11-20, 1942.

Hardness: Maximum, 792 ppm Sept. 1-10, 1940; minimum, 127 ppm June 11-17, 1926.

Specific conductance (1937-53): Maximum observed, 2,900 micromhos Sept. 6, 1940; minimum observed, 341 micromhos June 15, 1942.

Water temperatures (1926-53): Maximum observed, 88°F July 17, 1944; minimum observed, 38°F July 17, 1944; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during winter months.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 138,000 ppm Sept. 13, 1927; minimum daily, 100 ppm on many days.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 27,600,000 tons Sept. 13, 1927; minimum daily, 497 tons July 22, 1934.

**REMARKS.**--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. A recording thermograph was installed Sept. 12, 1952.

Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron ( $\text{B}$ )	Dissolved solids (sum)		Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, magnesium, and/or boron	Sodium adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH		
												Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot							
Oct. 1-10, 1952	7,425	14	0.01	127	49	164	8.2	246	134	0.4	0.24	1,100	4.3	22,500	518	317	40	3.1		
Oct. 11-20	5,359	12	.01	116	116	166	8.9	230	151	1.39	0.24	1,060	1.44	16,770	499	310	41	3.2		
Oct. 21-31	5,930	11	.01	123	56	194	8.0	236	611	160	4	2.1	1,180	1.60	18,880	538	344	44	3.6	
Nov. 1-10	6,064	11	.01	123	59	196	8.0	239	524	162	4	2.4	1,210	1.65	19,810	550	354	43	3.6	
Nov. 11-20	6,706	11	.01	128	59	196	7.1	249	537	157	4	1.9	1,230	1.67	22,270	562	358	43	3.6	
Nov. 21-30	7,218	12	.01	126	58	188	7.3	248	512	153	4	2.3	1,180	1.60	22,980	553	350	42	3.5	
Dec. 1-10	5,352	14	.00	124	54	190	6.7	254	473	168	4	.46	1,160	1.58	16,760	532	324	43	3.6	
Dec. 11-20	6,456	14	.04	133	57	198	7.9	273	493	183	3	.21	1,230	1.67	21,440	566	343	43	3.6	
Dec. 21-31	7,583	15	.02	120	51	177	6.9	261	437	163	3	6.9	1.19	1.10	15,500	509	295	43	3.4	
Jan. 1-10, 1953	5,816	14	.02	114	48	178	6.1	254	497	162	4	1.7	1.060	1.44	16,640	482	274	44	3.5	
Jan. 11-20	6,947	14	.05	120	53	192	7.3	264	466	177	4	6.6	1.18	1.56	21,570	518	301	44	3.7	
Jan. 21-31	7,073	13	.04	114	48	169	5.7	258	398	150	4	2.2	1,030	1.40	19,670	482	270	43	3.4	
Feb. 1-10	6,837	15	.20	113	47	176	7.8	273	392	157	3	2.7	.21	1,040	1.41	19,200	476	252	44	3.5
Feb. 11-20	7,085	12	.01	110	47	170	6.7	253	398	161	3	5.8	.24	1,020	1.43	19,540	468	260	44	3.4
Feb. 21-28	6,372	12	.02	108	49	182	6.6	249	410	158	3	6.0	.27	1,050	1.43	18,060	471	267	45	3.6

		Colorado River Main Stem																											
		Upper Colorado						Lower Colorado																					
		Mar.			Apr.			May			June			July			Aug.			Sept.			Oct.						
Month	Year	1	10	20	1	10	20	1	10	20	1	10	20	1	10	20	1	10	20	1	10	20	1	10	20	1	10		
Mar. 1-10	1953	6,439	15	10	48	107	180	7.7	286	393	166	3	2.7	.31	1,050	1,43	18,250	45	3.6	1,600	7.6	1,370	7.7	1,410	7.3	1,490	7.3		
Mar. 11-20		8,281	12	.01	108	175	9.5	255	392	153	.4	7.3	.26	1,030	1,40	23,030	463	252	44	3.5	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	
Mar. 21-31		8,506	16	.21	104	155	8.3	285	328	120	.4	7.5	.22	919	1,25	21,100	420	188	43	3.2	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	
Apr. 1-10		9,054	15	.18	102	40	157	10	262	341	135	.4	2.3	.22	935	1,27	22,950	419	204	44	3.4	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7
Apr. 11-20		9,446	16	.10	98	132	8.0	239	327	114	.4	2.4	.22	874	1,18	22,280	405	193	43	3.1	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	
Apr. 21-30		8,364	16	.22	95	38	140	10	260	314	123	.4	.6	.19	865	1,18	19,580	393	180	43	3.1	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7	1,370	7.7
May 1-10		14,630	15	.34	88	30	103	6.9	247	344	83	.6	2.2	.20	694	.94	27,410	343	140	39	2.4	1,080	7.3	1,080	7.3	1,080	7.3	1,080	7.3
May 11-20		11,720	14	.18	82	27	90	5.8	235	209	75	.6	1.7	.19	621	.84	19,850	316	123	38	2.2	970	7.2	970	7.2	970	7.2	970	7.2
May 21-31		21,350	17	.07	86	27	83	6.1	252	199	72	.3	1.7	.19	615	.84	35,450	326	119	35	2.0	980	7.4	980	7.4	980	7.4	980	7.4
June 1-10		47,860	17	.14	67	17	34	4.5	225	97	28	.9	1.7	.09	368	.50	47,550	297	52	23	1.0	595	7.5	595	7.5	595	7.5	595	7.5
June 11-20		54,060	15	.16	64	15	30	4.6	206	82	25	.3	1.2	.08	338	.46	48,350	221	52	22	.9	547	7.5	547	7.5	547	7.5	547	7.5
June 21-30		45,910	14	.23	64	15	28	4.6	212	79	24	.3	1.4	.11	335	.46	41,320	221	48	21	.8	541	7.5	541	7.5	541	7.5	541	7.5
July 1-10		21,050	13	.12	68	17	45	4.3	208	112	41	.3	1.2	.12	403	.55	22,900	240	70	28	1.3	650	7.5	650	7.5	650	7.5	650	7.5
July 11-20		14,340	13	.05	87	23	67	6.1	238	189	62	.3	1.2	.18	561	.76	21,720	312	124	31	1.7	888	7.5	888	7.5	888	7.5	888	7.5
July 21-31		12,750	18	.27	115	31	102	9.4	284	281	280	.4	2.9	.16	780	1.07	27,180	414	182	34	2.2	1,200	7.5	1,200	7.5	1,200	7.5	1,200	7.5
Aug. 1-10		15,840	18	.95	150	97	117	10	304	412	90	.4	8.1	.16	977	1.38	41,780	275	52	22	2.2	1,320	7.4	1,320	7.4	1,320	7.4	1,320	7.4
Aug. 11-20		9,695	17	.31	129	35	111	8.5	271	361	65	.4	3.8	.21	895	1.20	28,160	466	244	34	2.2	1,320	7.4	1,320	7.4	1,320	7.4	1,320	7.4
Aug. 21-31		9,013	18	.16	138	38	133	11	310	391	107	.5	3.0	.23	992	1.35	24,140	500	246	36	2.6	1,460	7.4	1,460	7.4	1,460	7.4	1,460	7.4
Sept. 1-10		6,564	17	.01	177	45	164	14	298	556	128	.5	1.6	.23	1,250	1.70	22,150	626	382	36	2.9	1,720	7.7	1,720	7.7	1,720	7.7	1,720	7.7
Sept. 11-20		4,354	13	.03	164	53	162	12	275	548	165	.5	3.9	.25	1,280	1.74	15,050	602	376	40	3.4	1,860	7.5	1,860	7.5	1,860	7.5	1,860	7.5
Sept. 21-30		3,723	11	.12	144	57	208	12	260	553	194	.5	3.4	.25	1,310	1.78	15,170	554	381	43	3.7	1,930	7.5	1,930	7.5	1,930	7.5	1,930	7.5
Weighted average		12,260	16	0.14	95	31	101	6.8	243	262	36	0.4	2.7	0.17	719	0.98	25,800	394	166	37	2.3	1,100	--	1,100	--	1,100	--	1,100	--

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR GRAND CANYON, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December	
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment
		Mean concentration (ppm)		Mean concentration (ppm)		Mean concentration (ppm)
1.....	8,420	4,800	109,000	5,970	213	3,430
2.....	8,230	3,830	85,100	6,070	218	3,570
3.....	8,040	1,920	41,700	6,010	218	5,830
4.....	7,740	1,400	<sup>a</sup> 29,000	5,950	210	3,540
5.....	7,450	1,100	<sup>a</sup> 22,000	5,830	210	4,880
6.....	7,280	865	17,000	5,880	210	4,300
7.....	7,110	696	13,400	5,980	206	3,330
8.....	6,900	594	11,100	6,170	211	3,520
9.....	6,660	508	9,130	6,360	224	3,850
10....	6,420	457	7,920	6,430	250	4,340
11....	6,170	444	7,400	6,380	255	4,390
12....	6,030	422	6,870	6,130	244	4,040
13....	5,940	332	5,320	6,150	255	4,230
14....	5,900	299	4,770	6,290	250	4,250
15....	5,800	263	4,120	6,350	630	10,800
16....	5,750	267	4,150	6,800	832	15,300
17....	5,770	260	4,050	7,160	750	14,500
18....	5,770	309	4,910	7,560	713	14,600
19....	5,770	247	3,850	7,120	642	12,300
20....	5,690	244	3,750	7,120	613	11,800
21....	5,690	249	3,830	7,220	596	11,600
22....	5,780	245	3,820	7,220	511	9,950
23....	5,910	218	3,450	7,400	501	10,000
24....	6,010	237	3,850	7,320	492	9,720
25....	6,040	222	3,620	7,080	444	8,490
26....	6,010	226	3,670	7,180	400	7,750
27....	6,070	208	3,410	7,220	520	10,100
28....	5,970	213	3,430	7,220	390	7,600
29....	5,880	227	3,600	7,210	380	<sup>a</sup> 7,400
30....	5,950	218	3,500	7,110	316	6,070
31....	5,920	221	3,530	--	--	6,820
Total.	198,070	--	434,150	199,880	--	220,500
	January		February		March	
1.....	6,380	411	7,080	7,060	326	6,210
2.....	5,980	388	6,230	6,950	338	6,340
3.....	5,590	487	7,050	6,730	341	6,200
4.....	5,460	250	3,890	6,670	318	<sup>a</sup> 5,730
5.....	5,380	285	3,850	6,780	320	5,900
6.....	5,640	250	<sup>a</sup> 3,800	6,820	320	<sup>a</sup> 5,900
7.....	5,810	237	3,720	6,850	321	5,940
8.....	5,930	221	3,540	6,870	292	5,420
9.....	6,020	235	3,820	6,820	298	5,490
10....	5,970	238	3,840	6,820	306	5,630
11....	5,890	276	4,390	6,960	317	5,960
12....	6,100	199	3,280	7,470	390	7,370
13....	6,810	208	3,820	7,430	390	7,820
14....	7,030	232	4,400	7,330	400	7,920
15....	7,120	304	5,840	7,260	500	9,800
16....	7,330	291	5,760	7,050	381	7,250
17....	7,270	384	7,540	6,920	375	7,010
18....	7,310	474	9,360	6,880	350	6,500
19....	7,340	449	8,900	6,880	353	6,560
20....	7,270	448	8,790	6,770	404	7,380
21....	7,290	386	7,600	6,540	338	5,970
22....	7,170	429	8,310	6,610	301	5,370
23....	6,920	388	7,250	6,600	284	4,700
24....	6,940	381	7,140	6,330	320	5,470
25....	7,010	446	8,440	6,060	211	3,450
26....	7,100	431	8,280	6,140	220	3,650
27....	7,130	389	7,490	6,380	200	3,450
28....	6,950	361	6,770	6,230	180	3,070
29....	7,030	369	7,000	--	--	8,130
30....	7,100	375	7,190	--	--	7,880
31....	7,160	321	6,210	--	--	7,720
Total.	205,430	--	190,360	190,300	--	187,960
	February		March			
1.....	6,380	411	7,080	7,060	6,030	180
2.....	5,980	388	6,230	6,950	5,900	209
3.....	5,590	487	7,050	6,730	6,030	210
4.....	5,460	250	3,890	6,670	6,290	220
5.....	5,380	285	3,850	6,780	5,900	230
6.....	5,640	250	<sup>a</sup> 3,800	6,820	5,900	270
7.....	5,810	237	3,720	6,850	5,940	367
8.....	5,930	221	3,540	6,870	5,420	380
9.....	6,020	235	3,820	6,820	5,490	332
10....	5,970	238	3,840	6,820	5,630	4,230
11....	5,890	276	4,390	6,960	5,540	200
12....	6,100	199	3,280	7,470	6,680	210
13....	6,810	208	3,820	7,430	6,810	224
14....	7,030	232	4,400	7,330	7,190	300
15....	7,120	304	5,840	7,260	8,330	580
16....	7,330	291	5,760	7,050	10,100	13,000
17....	7,270	384	7,540	6,920	8,610	1,810
18....	7,310	474	9,360	6,880	9,630	1,810
19....	7,340	449	8,900	6,880	10,100	1,790
20....	7,270	448	8,790	6,770	10,600	1,600
21....	7,290	386	7,600	6,540	10,100	45,800
22....	7,170	429	8,310	6,610	9,290	1,480
23....	6,920	388	7,250	6,600	8,810	1,380
24....	6,940	381	7,140	6,330	8,690	1,580
25....	7,010	446	8,440	6,060	8,530	1,410
26....	7,100	431	8,280	6,140	8,530	1,290
27....	7,130	389	7,490	6,380	8,350	1,000
28....	6,950	361	6,770	6,230	8,130	932
29....	7,030	369	7,000	--	--	10,500
30....	7,100	375	7,190	--	--	9,160
31....	7,160	321	6,210	--	--	9,540
Total.	205,430	--	190,360	190,300	--	187,960
	March					
1.....	6,380	411	7,080	7,060	6,030	2,930
2.....	5,980	388	6,230	6,950	5,900	3,330
3.....	5,590	487	7,050	6,730	6,030	3,400
4.....	5,460	250	3,890	6,670	6,290	3,700
5.....	5,380	285	3,850	6,780	5,900	4,070
6.....	5,640	250	<sup>a</sup> 3,800	6,820	<sup>a</sup> 5,900	4,820
7.....	5,810	237	3,720	6,850	5,940	5,580
8.....	5,930	221	3,540	6,870	5,420	3,700
9.....	6,020	235	3,820	6,820	5,490	6,130
10....	5,970	238	3,840	6,820	5,630	4,230
11....	5,890	276	4,390	6,960	5,540	3,580
12....	6,100	199	3,280	7,470	6,680	3,790
13....	6,810	208	3,820	7,430	6,810	4,120
14....	7,030	232	4,400	7,330	7,190	5,820
15....	7,120	304	5,840	7,260	8,330	580
16....	7,330	291	5,760	7,050	10,100	41,200
17....	7,270	384	7,540	6,920	9,290	37,100
18....	7,310	474	9,360	6,880	8,810	32,800
19....	7,340	449	8,900	6,880	8,690	47,100
20....	7,270	448	8,790	6,770	10,600	45,800
21....	7,290	386	7,600	6,540	10,100	1,510
22....	7,170	429	8,310	6,610	9,290	1,480
23....	6,920	388	7,250	6,600	8,810	1,380
24....	6,940	381	7,140	6,330	8,690	1,580
25....	7,010	446	8,440	6,060	8,530	1,410
26....	7,100	431	8,280	6,140	8,530	1,290
27....	7,130	389	7,490	6,380	8,350	1,000
28....	6,950	361	6,770	6,230	8,130	932
29....	7,030	369	7,000	--	--	20,500
30....	7,100	375	7,190	--	--	19,500
31....	7,160	321	6,210	--	--	19,500
Total.	205,430	--	190,360	190,300	--	187,960

<sup>a</sup> Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR GRAND CANYON, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	7,650	1,200	24,800	12,600	1,830	62,300	49,900	8,600	1,160,000
2.....	8,080	1,000	21,800	13,300	1,980	71,100	48,000	7,400	959,000
3.....	8,370	914	20,700	15,200	3,090	127,000	46,000	6,700	832,000
4.....	8,880	900	21,600	17,000	3,340	153,000	48,400	6,730	879,000
5.....	9,200	953	23,700	16,900	3,200	a 150,000	48,400	6,400	a 840,000
6.....	9,480	950	a 24,000	16,100	2,550	111,000	48,900	5,600	a 740,000
7.....	9,580	1,000	25,900	15,400	2,450	102,000	49,900	4,800	647,000
8.....	9,490	894	22,900	14,400	2,200	85,500	49,400	4,930	658,000
9.....	9,410	821	20,900	13,200	2,020	72,000	46,500	4,280	537,000
10.....	10,400	879	24,700	12,200	1,930	63,600	43,200	4,210	491,000
11.....	10,700	1,030	29,800	11,400	1,730	53,200	40,600	2,900	318,000
12.....	10,500	1,090	30,900	10,800	1,530	44,600	38,800	2,900	304,000
13.....	9,850	1,160	30,900	10,600	1,320	37,800	41,000	3,420	379,000
14.....	9,630	1,040	27,000	11,500	1,270	39,400	47,500	4,200	539,000
15.....	9,490	938	24,000	12,400	1,360	45,500	53,600	5,000	724,000
16.....	9,480	917	23,500	12,600	1,130	38,400	62,500	8,100	a 1,400,000
17.....	9,340	836	21,100	12,100	973	31,800	67,300	7,720	1,400,000
18.....	8,900	830	19,900	12,000	850	27,500	66,600	6,360	1,140,000
19.....	8,510	804	18,500	12,200	820	27,000	63,100	5,400	920,000
20.....	8,080	700	15,300	11,600	767	24,000	59,600	5,730	922,000
21.....	7,530	650	13,200	10,800	690	20,100	58,500	5,000	790,000
22.....	7,400	580	11,600	10,700	724	20,900	56,300	4,530	689,000
23.....	7,800	520	11,000	11,100	957	28,700	55,200	4,480	668,000
24.....	7,700	447	9,290	11,200	800	24,200	50,400	3,720	506,000
25.....	7,500	780	15,800	11,900	740	23,800	47,000	3,390	430,000
26.....	7,680	450	9,330	13,000	1,000	s 35,100	44,200	3,130	374,000
27.....	8,100	401	8,770	23,700	5,370	s 390,000	41,000	2,900	a 320,000
28.....	8,640	431	10,100	31,300	7,000	592,000	38,800	2,710	284,000
29.....	9,890	700	18,700	32,400	6,460	565,000	35,600	2,100	202,000
30.....	11,600	1,420	44,500	35,900	7,810	757,000	32,100	2,200	191,000
31.....	--	--	--	42,900	9,200	1,070,000	--	--	--
Total.	268,860	--	624,190	498,400	--	4,893,500	1,478,300	--	20,243,000
	July			August			September		
1.....	28,600	1,590	123,000	15,000	22,200	s 940,000	8,930	15,000	362,000
2.....	28,000	1,280	89,900	18,300	24,600	s 1,230,000	7,360	19,200	382,000
3.....	24,200	1,240	81,000	17,800	24,600	1,180,000	6,950	21,500	403,000
4.....	22,800	1,100	67,700	16,700	24,000	1,080,000	7,380	13,900	277,000
5.....	21,400	1,200	69,300	17,100	24,000	a 1,100,000	6,850	8,700	a 160,000
6.....	20,200	1,000	a 55,000	17,100	22,000	a 1,000,000	6,230	6,400	a 110,000
7.....	18,400	810	a 40,000	15,800	17,300	738,000	5,890	4,470	71,100
8.....	17,300	660	30,800	15,000	15,100	612,000	5,630	2,960	45,000
9.....	16,100	584	24,500	13,400	12,400	449,000	5,320	2,200	31,800
10.....	15,500	513	21,500	12,200	14,000	461,000	5,100	3,710	51,100
11.....	15,000	760	30,800	11,500	9,500	295,000	4,950	5,680	75,900
12.....	14,300	1,400	54,100	10,800	6,650	194,000	4,770	3,250	41,900
13.....	14,300	980	37,800	10,700	7,400	214,000	4,590	2,000	24,800
14.....	12,900	1,510	52,600	9,830	5,200	138,000	4,440	1,800	21,600
15.....	12,400	3,090	103,000	9,390	6,000	152,000	4,330	1,200	14,000
16.....	12,500	3,900	132,000	9,290	4,400	110,000	4,240	814	9,320
17.....	13,100	2,010	71,100	9,480	4,800	123,000	4,110	848	9,410
18.....	15,000	4,400	178,000	9,140	4,450	110,000	4,030	719	7,820
19.....	19,600	8,600	455,000	9,000	3,500	85,000	4,070	525	5,770
20.....	14,300	14,700	568,000	7,820	4,200	88,700	4,010	445	4,620
21.....	14,100	9,300	354,000	7,230	3,050	59,500	4,010	405	4,380
22.....	14,200	6,700	257,000	7,010	3,050	57,700	3,890	377	3,960
23.....	14,800	8,550	342,000	7,180	3,160	61,100	3,780	333	3,400
24.....	14,400	8,470	329,000	7,130	4,900	94,300	3,760	291	2,950
25.....	13,500	5,400	197,000	7,760	9,700	203,000	3,760	229	2,320
26.....	12,600	4,380	149,000	7,440	3,600	72,300	3,730	200	2,010
27.....	11,800	5,810	185,000	8,310	6,250	s 141,000	3,640	182	1,790
28.....	11,000	6,250	186,000	10,700	11,000	s 350,000	3,590	182	1,760
29.....	10,600	3,860	110,000	13,000	20,600	s 751,000	3,540	203	1,940
30.....	10,700	5,160	149,000	11,700	20,400	644,000	3,530	194	1,850
31.....	12,500	33,600	1,180,000	11,700	17,800	562,000	--	--	--
Total.	494,100	--	5,723,100	354,490	--	13,295,600	146,410	--	2,134,500
Total discharge for year (cfs-days) .....									
Total load for year (tons) .....									

<sup>a</sup> Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued  
COLORADO RIVER NEAR GRAND CANYON, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) of water September 1952

	Day	Max.	Min.															
Average.....	1	1	--	6	--	--	11	--	--	16	--	--	21	70	67	26	71	70
	2	2	--	7	--	--	12	--	--	17	--	--	22	69	67	27	70	70
	3	3	--	8	--	--	13	--	--	18	--	--	23	70	69	28	70	70
	4	4	--	9	--	--	14	--	--	19	--	--	24	70	70	29	70	70
	5	5	--	10	--	--	15	--	--	20	71	70	25	70	69	30	70	70

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Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) of water water year October 1952 to September 1953

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR GRAND CANYON, ARIZ.--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

(Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water tempera- ture (°F)	Concen- tration of sample (ppm)	Concen- tration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Suspended sediment							Method of analysis			
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.500	1.000	
Oct. 2, 1952 .....	8:30 a.m.	8,230	70	3,710	3,350	--	70	--	89	--	99	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
	8:00 a.m.	5,950	64	283	222	--	--	--	--	98	98	99	100	--	--	S
Oct. 13 .....	8:30 a.m.	5,900	62							97	97	98	99	100	--	S
Oct. 23 .....																S
Nov. 3 .....	8:40 a.m.	6,040	59		227						98	99	100	--	--	S
Nov. 15 .....	9:30 a.m.	6,080	50		572						97	98	99	100	--	S
Nov. 26 .....	8:10 a.m.	7,160	40		391						98	100	--	--	--	S
Dec. 7 .....	10:30 a.m.	4,870	37		140						98	98	99	100	--	S
Dec. 17 .....	9:00 a.m.	6,180	39		295						98	98	99	100	--	SBWCM
Dec. 30 .....	8:40 a.m.	6,330	37		485	1,090	61	74	83	91	98	99	100	--	--	SBWCM
Jan. 19, 1953 .....	8:45 a.m.	7,510	40		380		899	57	68	76	84	93	98	99	100	SBWCM
Jan. 29 .....	9:00 a.m.	7,180	41		318						98	99	100	--	--	S
Feb. 8 .....	10:00 a.m.	6,840	43		294						97	97	100	--	--	S
Feb. 18 .....	8:40 a.m.	6,900	43								95	98	99	100	--	S
Feb. 28 .....	10:00 a.m.	6,280	42		127						95	98	99	100	--	S
Mar. 23 .....	11:15 a.m.	8,930	50		1,370	4,750	61	--	87	--	98	100	--	--	--	SPWCM
Mar. 24 .....	9:00 a.m.	8,880	51		1,570		4,660	--	82	--	86	--	98	99	100	SPWCM
Mar. 26 .....	9:00 a.m.	8,500	53		1,250		4,460	70	70	--	90	--	99	100	--	SPWCM
Mar. 28 .....	10:00 a.m.	8,130	55		942		3,800	--	66	--	86	--	98	100	--	SPWCM
Apr. 13 .....	2:00 p.m.	9,560	52				4,900	--	60	--	81	--	98	99	100	SPN
Apr. 13 .....	2:00 p.m.	9,560	52				4,640	--	6	--	80	--	88	89	100	S
Apr. 27 .....	2:15 p.m.	8,180	64				343	--	--	--	--	--	98	99	100	SPN
May 6 .....	9:00 a.m.	16,100	59				2,430		2,670	--	35	--	57	90	98	VPWCM
May 16 .....	11:00 a.m.	12,800	61		1,050		3,830	--	40	--	63	--	92	99	100	VPWCM
May 26 .....	9:00 a.m.	12,500	64		914		2,910	--	33	--	50	--	93	100	--	VPWCM

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR GRAND CANYON, ARIZ.--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1953 to September 1953--Continued.  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F.)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis	
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125		
May 28, 1953.....	10:00 a. m.	31,200	63	6,880	4,660	--	14	--	26	--	67	93	100	--
	9:15 a. m.	47,400	62	6,750	6,980	--	21	--	36	--	61	82	95	--
June 2.....	9:15 a. m.	47,400	62	6,750	5,720	--	2	--	34	--	61	82	95	--
June 8.....	8:30 a. m.	49,200	64	4,830	5,440	--	13	--	22	--	44	72	90	--
June 17.....	10:00 a. m.	67,800	70	6,150	3,100	--	7	--	12	--	27	55	67	--
June 17.....	10:00 a. m.	67,800	70	6,150	3,140	--	4	--	10	--	27	55	67	100
June 22.....	10:00 a. m.	65,500	70	5,530	5,430	--	16	--	24	--	44	65	89	--
July 2.....	8:30 a. m.	26,800	73	1,210	2,410	--	27	--	39	--	70	89	100	--
July 12.....	6:00 p. m.	14,300	79	798	3,100	--	50	--	70	--	92	98	100	--
July 12.....	6:00 p. m.	14,300	79	798	2,960	--	3	--	72	--	92	98	100	--
July 18.....	10:00 a. m.	14,200	78	8,200	4,390	--	48	--	77	--	98	100	100	--
July 21.....	9:00 a. m.	14,600	78	9,320	3,840	--	64	--	90	--	99	100	100	--
July 31.....	9:00 a. m.	12,800	77	47,000	3,840	--	59	--	76	--	98	100	100	--
Aug. 1.....	9:00 a. m.	14,200	77	11,700	3,820	--	58	--	80	--	98	100	100	--
Aug. 2.....	9:30 a. m.	15,100	77	21,160	3,190	--	59	--	78	--	97	100	100	--
Aug. 7.....	8:30 a. m.	15,600	77	16,500	4,610	--	63	--	86	--	98	100	100	--
Aug. 17.....	8:45 a. m.	9,460	78	5,080	4,250	--	67	--	93	--	99	100	100	--
Aug. 29.....	9:30 a. m.	12,600	74	13,900	3,970	--	58	--	81	--	98	100	100	--
Sept. 1.....	9:00 a. m.	9,140	73	14,200	3,730	--	64	--	88	--	100	--	--	--
Sept. 3.....	9:00 a. m.	6,750	73	21,900	4,600	--	73	--	97	--	100	--	--	--
Sept. 21.....	9:00 a. m.	4,020	74	4,020	3,050	--	70	--	94	--	100	--	--	--

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN

LOCATION.—At gaging station, 1½ miles southwest of Virgin, Washington County, and about 2 miles downstream from North Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.—334 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: October 1950 to September 1953.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 1,330 ppm July 14-16; minimum, 582 micromhos April 28.

EXTREMES.—1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum daily, 1,920 micromhos July 14; minimum observed, 39. F Nov. 27-29.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 85° F July 5-6; minimum observed, 37° F Nov. 27-29.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,330 ppm July 14-16; minimum, 245 ppm May 1-10, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 820 micromhos July 14, 1952; minimum daily, 383 micromhos May 7, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,330 ppm July 14-16; minimum, 383 micromhos May 7, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 88° F July 18, 28-30, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during winter months.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 available in Surface Water district office at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953.

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Dissolved solids			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at pH 7)	
													Parts per million	Residue at 100°C	Sum	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Percent adsorption	
Oct. 1-10, 1952	88.7	--	--	84	31	56	--	215	197	--	0.11	554	0.75	125	--	--	--	862	
Oct. 11-20	91.0	13	--	--	--	--	--	215	197	3.0	0.11	577	.78	142	340	164	27	1.3	
Oct. 21-31	101	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	558	.76	152	--	--	--	878	
Nov. 1-10	114	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	566	.77	174	--	--	--	860	
Nov. 11-20	114	12	--	88	28	50	--	240	178	53	2.0	--	555	.75	216	336	139	24	1.2
Nov. 21-30	119	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	548	.75	206	--	--	--	853	
Dec. 1-10	145	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	538	.73	211	--	--	--	846	
Dec. 11-20	167	12	--	32	28	48	--	240	162	50	1.9	--	527	.72	223	322	125	25	1.2
Dec. 21-31	160	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	544	.74	220	--	--	--	823	
Jan. 1-10, 1953	156	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	525	.71	221	--	--	--	846	
Jan. 11-20	170	12	--	77	29	48	--	229	150	50	1.7	.11	498	.68	229	311	123	25	1.2
Jan. 21-31	148	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	509	.69	203	--	--	--	779	
Feb. 1-10	150	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	488	.66	198	--	--	--	773	
Feb. 11-20	131	12	--	76	32	48	--	213	169	54	2.0	--	512	.70	181	319	144	25	1.2
Feb. 21-28	128	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	500	.68	173	--	--	--	783	
Mar. 1-10	131	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	508	.69	180	--	--	--	789	
Mar. 11-20	128	11	--	74	30	47	--	226	145	55	1.9	--	485	.66	168	309	124	25	1.2
Mar. 21-31	123	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	522	.71	173	--	--	--	779	
Apr. 1-10	132	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	510	.69	182	--	--	--	791	
Apr. 11-20	111	11	--	56	30	55	--	211	172	61	2.4	.10	528	.72	158	324	161	27	1.3
Apr. 21-30	169	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	495	.67	213	--	--	--	829	
May 1-10	122	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	534	.73	176	--	--	--	758	
May 11-20	107	11	--	86	27	53	--	213	185	60	2.3	--	551	.75	159	328	153	26	1.3
May 21-31	99.6	11	--	27	203	190	--	--	--	--	--	516	.73	152	316	150	29	1.4	

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VIRGIN RIVER AT VIRGIN, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids												Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per cent adsorbed-sodium ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH					
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HC <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Residue at 180°C	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot							
June 1-10, 1953	85.7	12	81	32	57	29	64	197	205	66	1.6	--	532	0.81	137	333	--	27	1.4	876	8.1	
June 11-20	70.6	14	83	29	64	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	576	.78	110	326	164	30	1.5	880	7.9	
June 21-30	61.1	--	61.1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	57	.77	93.5	--	--	--	--	--	880	--
July 1-10	60.4	--	60.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	564	.77	92.0	--	--	--	--	--	873	--
July 11-12, 17-20	192	17	118	28	61	286	208	49	49	1.6	0.14	644	--	88	334	410	175	24	1.3	944	7.9	
July 14-16	146	23	219	36	66	279	651	51	2.6	--	1,350	1.61	524	846	617	15	1.0	1,640	8.3	846	--	
July 21-26	89.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	593	.81	144	--	--	--	--	--	904	--
July 29-31	282	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,130	1.84	850	--	--	--	--	--	1,450	--
Aug. 2-10	104	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	838	1.17	240	--	--	--	--	--	1,160	--
Aug. 11-20	65.3	17	150	26	64	210	338	63	63	1.7	.13	796	1.08	140	480	308	23	1.3	1,120	7.9	880	--
Aug. 21-26,																						
Aug. 28-31	111	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	766	1.04	250	--	--	--	--	--	1,050	--
Sept. 1-10	64.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	728	.99	127	--	--	--	--	--	1,040	--
Sept. 11-20	58.9	13	94	29	61	199	224	--	--	--	2.1	--	632	.86	98.9	355	192	27	1.4	942	8.2	
Sept. 21-30	56.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	592	.81	90.8	--	--	--	--	--	891	--
Weighted average	b118	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	578	0.79	181	--	--	--	--	--	872	--

<sup>a</sup> Includes equivalent of 12 ppm of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub>).<sup>b</sup> Represents 96 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VIRGIN RIVER AT VIRGIN, UTAH--Continued

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, Water year October 1952 to September 1953											
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	70	58	42	46	50	44	61	50	71	81	--	73
2	71	58	44	47	53	46	63	61	70	77	77	77
3	69	59	42	47	53	47	64	62	72	81	79	78
4	69	57	40	45	51	50	61	67	75	75	81	79
5	68	56	39	47	51	54	62	68	76	85	82	77
6	69	51	44	43	52	56	60	68	65	85	82	75
7	78	54	46	46	56	57	59	69	71	83	78	79
8	67	55	48	53	50	57	50	65	74	80	80	85
9	67	52	47	59	48	58	57	59	76	78	77	79
10	61	50	45	52	48	55	53	60	78	79	80	77
11	65	51	44	53	48	57	56	60	75	84	84	78
12	74	51	46	52	48	54	60	65	74	82	83	79
13	73	49	47	49	48	54	53	69	81	81	80	75
14	61	48	49	47	52	60	63	65	77	84	82	78
15	61	48	48	46	54	56	58	58	77	80	84	77
16	60	46	47	45	50	57	59	65	77	76	81	74
17	61	47	47	48	52	56	62	67	78	76	81	73
18	63	--	47	49	43	57	68	66	75	77	81	75
19	63	47	48	50	44	53	64	67	74	77	81	74
20	63	49	47	48	42	50	64	74	80	78	79	75
21	63	48	45	49	43	52	65	73	75	81	78	73
22	59	44	44	48	45	60	61	72	71	81	80	73
23	62	44	41	48	41	62	67	71	80	78	80	72
24	62	43	40	49	47	63	69	68	77	79	81	71
25	58	41	41	51	48	61	68	68	76	78	77	71
26	60	40	43	51	53	63	69	65	77	83	76	72
27	60	39	--	50	51	64	58	64	80	85	74	66
28	59	39	43	48	54	55	61	60	78	84	73	68
29	60	39	41	50	--	55	62	68	78	78	74	70
30	60	40	46	51	--	57	55	74	80	72	73	69
31	60	--	43	50	--	62	--	73	--	78	76	--
Aver-age	64	48	44	49	49	56	61	66	76	80	76	75

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WASHINGTON FIELDS CANAL NEAR WASHINGTON.

**LOCATION.**—At gaging station, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles southeast of Washington County  
Chemical analyses: October 1950 to September 1953.  
Values reported for dissolved constituents. No records available for determined constituents.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953																		
Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)						Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>										
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per day	Tons per day	Percent sodium carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH
Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	19	173	54	339	27	265	509	485	2.9	0.70	1,740	2.37	655	438	52	5.8	2,730	7.6
Nov. 4, 11, 18, 25 Dec. 1, 9, 15, 22, 31, 1953.	16	156	44	228	19	266	399	325	2.9	--	1,310	1.78	572	337	45	4.2	2,110	7.7
Jan. 5, 13, 19, 26, 1953.	18	136	41	177	--	283	330	248	2.3	--	1,090	1.48	508	276	43	3.4	1,750	7.7
Feb. 3, 9, 17, 24, Mar. 3, 9, 16, 23, Apr. 7, 13, 20, 27, May 4, 11, 19, 25	17	126	39	168	--	282	312	238	2.1	.31	1,030	1.40	476	261	43	3.4	1,670	7.8
June 30, 1953.	17	129	42	186	--	275	327	252	2.6	--	1,080	1.48	495	270	45	3.6	1,740	7.8
July 7, 13, 19, 26, Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	18	146	44	219	--	267	391	315	2.8	--	1,270	1.73	545	326	47	4.1	2,040	7.6
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	19	157	47	292	--	256	449	398	4.0	.65	1,480	2.01	587	393	52	5.3	2,350	7.6
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	165	48	309	--	249	490	438	4.0	--	1,600	2.18	610	406	52	5.4	2,530	7.7	
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	165	48	309	--	249	490	438	4.0	--	1,600	2.18	610	406	52	5.4	2,530	7.7	
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	174	66	423	--	214	609	608	9.7	--	2,020	2.75	702	526	57	7.0	3,160	7.8	
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	59	364	--	233	574	510	6.6	.76	1,870	2.54	732	500	52	5.9	2,890	7.5		
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	--	--	--	--	228	661	45	1.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,640	--
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	22	294	50	329	--	244	794	478	3.1	--	2,090	2.84	940	740	43	4.7	3,100	7.8
Aug. 2, 10, 19, 25, Sept. 3, 8, 14, 22, Oct. 7, 13, 22, 28, 1952	22	216	67	488	--	294	744	708	4.3	--	2,360	3.21	815	631	57	7.4	3,670	7.8

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SANTA CLARA RIVER ABOVE WINSOR DAM, NEAR SANTA CLARA, UTAH

LOCATION.—At gauging station 2 miles upstream from Winsor Dam, 2½ miles downstream from Sandy Wash, 8 miles downstream from Magotsu Creek, and 9 miles northwest of Santa Clara, Washington County.

DRAING AREA.—338 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1951 to September 1953.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1233.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)						Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>			Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HC <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Parts per million	Percent calcium, magnesium, non-carbonate	Percent sodium, non-sodium carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH	Col. or
Oct. 8, 14, 22, 28, 1952	16.2 21.0	32 --	47 51	15 15	-- --	198 208	29 31	11 24	0.4 1.1	-- --	268 287	0.36 0.39	11.7 16.3	178 192	16 21	-- --	422 450	7.8 8.0	-- --			
Nov. 2, 16, 22, 31	20.8	34	54	15	18	215	29	21	.8	--	277	.36	15.6	196	20	17	0.6	456	7.9			
Dec. 6, 12, 18, 27, 1953.....	20.2	32	51	14	17	201	27	20	.6	0.09	258	.35	14.1	183	18	17	.5	421	8.0			
Feb. 3, 9, 16, 24	19.5	31	54	14	18	220	33	24	1.0	--	283	.38	14.9	195	15	17	.6	460	7.6			
Mar. 4, 9, 16,	17.6	30	49	15	17	202	31	24	1.0	--	264	.36	12.5	182	16	17	.5	424	8.0			
Apr. 30.....	16.2	34	46	14	17	191	30	22	.7	.15	256	.35	11.2	172	15	18	.6	412	7.8			
May 4, 11, 16, 25	15.0	32	41	13	17	172	28	22	.7	--	236	.32	9.56	157	16	19	.6	379	8.1			
June 2, 9, 15, 29	12.2	43	15	17	184	31	21	1.0	--	246	.33	8.10	169	18	18	.6	406	7.7				
July 6, 13, 20, 27	8.4	38	45	16	19	192	34	24	1.1	.15	269	.37	6.10	178	21	19	.6	424	7.6			
Aug. 1, 10, 19, 25, 27.....	18.8	29	53	11	15	210	20	18	1.2	--	262	.36	13.3	170	7	16	.5	431	7.6			

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN

## SANTA CLARA RIVER AT ST. GEORGE, UTAH

LOCATION.—At gaging station half a mile upstream from mouth and 2 miles south of St. George, Washington County.  
 RECORDS.—Chemical analyses: October 1950 to September 1953.  
 REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses										Dissolved solids (sum)	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Percent carbonic acid	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Color pH
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)			
Oct. 6, 13, 22, 28, 1952	6.7	35	220	48	78	340	555	49	1.4	0.28	1,150	1.56	20.8	748	469	1.2
Nov. 4, 10, 16, 24	12.1	32	202	52	71	342	481	61	1.3	--	1,070	1.46	35.0	720	440	1.2
Dec. 5, 6, 22, 30	16.0	36	190	44	69	348	438	45	.9	--	994	1.35	43.0	656	371	1.2
Dec. 15, .....	7.5	18	194	57	--	246	551	--	4.4	--	1,480	2.01	30.0	720	518	3.6
Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1953	13.7	32	165	33	63	314	367	41	.7	.22	856	1.16	31.7	548	291	20
Feb. 2, 9, 17, 24	6.8	34	281	63	92	396	744	64	1.6	--	1,470	2.00	27.0	960	635	17
Mar. 3, 9, 16, 23, 31, .....	4.2	35	282	71	104	399	776	72	.6	--	1,340	2.09	17.5	1,000	673	19
Apr. 7, 13, 20, 28	4.0	38	290	74	113	357	856	71	.9	.40	1,320	2.20	17.5	1,030	737	19
May 4, 11, 19, 25	2.8	36	306	78	119	383	891	71	.6	--	1,690	2.30	12.8	1,080	766	19
June 2, 9, 15, 28	.9	44	344	114	154	352	1,150	96	1.8	--	2,070	2.82	5.0	1,300	1,010	20
July 6, 13, 18, 27	.8	39	316	107	150	300	1,110	90	2.2	.46	1,860	2.67	4.23	1,230	982	21
Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23	5.3	--	--	314	53	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,080
Aug. 4, 10, 19, 26	.5	45	317	102	163	266	1,170	94	1.1	--	2,020	2.75	2.73	1,210	992	23
Aug. 27, 34, 41, 48	211	--	--	--	--	363	9.5	12	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	537
Sept. 1, 8, 14,	.3	39	312	78	134	372	923	90	1.1	--	1,760	2.39	1.43	1,100	795	21
Sept. 2, 9, 14, 22, 29, .....	.3	37	59	18	20	247	31	23	1.1	--	311	.42	.252	220	17	.6

## VIRGIN RIVER NEAR ST. GEORGE, UTAH

LOCATION.—At gaging station 8 miles southwest of St. George, Washington County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1950 to September 1953.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given WSP 1263.

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (Sum)										Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH						
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sum (K)	Bicar- bonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bor- on (B)						
Oct. 6, 13, 22, 28, 1952 .....	43.5	23	341	96	412	260	1,140	550		3.4	0.92	2,690	3.66	316	1,040	42	5.1	3,770	7.6
Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24 Dec. 3, 8, 15, 31. Jan. 5, 12, 19. 26, 1953.....	149 171 168	19 19 18	226 184 168	64 52 56	283 215 199	21	287 278 273	686 510 475	288	4.2 3.0 2.8	-- -- .41	1,780 1,410 1,330	2.42 1.92 1.80	716 651 650	616 447 426	40	4.0 3.6 3.4	2,350 2,160 2,010	7.8 7.6 7.6
Feb. 2, 9, 16, 23. Mar. 3, 9, 16, 23. 31 .....	137	19	163	56	226	259	512	308		3.1	--	1,420	1.93	525	650	438	3.9	2,150	7.7
Apr. 7, 13 .....	84.2	19	209	65	282	261	654	392		3.1	--	1,750	2.38	398	790	576	4.4	2,650	7.7
May 4, 11, 18.....	40.5 11.2	22 21	260 295	85 89	342 392	238	849 1,030	460 540		1.7 3.2	.83 --	2,150 2,970	2.92 3.36	235 74.7	1,000 1,100	788 912	4.7	3,150	7.9
July 18, 26, 28 ..	122	27	610	87	269	276	1,710	345		5.5	.54	3,190	4.34	1,050	1,880	1,050	5.1	3,600	7.4
Aug. 4 .....	37.0	20	458	87	324	235	1,250	475		2.2	--	2,710	3.69	1,420	1,230	33	3.7	3,350	7.3
Sept. 1 .....	22.0	19	603	71	396	254	1,680	552		2.2	--	3,450	4.69	205	1,860	1,590	4.1	4,320	7.2

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VIRGIN RIVER AT LITTLEFIELD, ARIZ.

**LOCATION.**--At gauging station, three-eighths of a mile downstream from Beaverton Wash, and three-eighths of a mile upstream from water line of Lake Mead at elevation 1,221 feet above mean sea level.  
**Mohave County**, and 36 miles upstream from water line of Lake Mead at elevation 1,221 feet above mean sea level.  
**DATA AREA.**--5,050 square miles, approximately.

**RECORDS AVAILABLE.**--Chemical analyses.

Water temperatures: October 1947 to September 1953.

Sediment records: October 1947 to September 1953.

**EXTREMES, 1932-53:**--Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 3,800 micromhos July 30; minimum daily, 1,950 micromhos Aug. 27.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 92°F July 7; minimum observed, 45°F Nov. 27.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 1,040,000 ppm Aug. 28; minimum daily, 2,880 ppm Oct. 5.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 365,000 tons Aug. 27; minimum daily, 40,000 tons Oct. 5.  
**EXTREMES, 1947-53:**--Dissolved solids (1949-50): Maximum, 2,650 ppm Aug. 11-20; minimum, 774 ppm Mar. 1-10.

Hardness (1949-50): Maximum, 1,530 ppm Aug. 11-20; minimum, 774 ppm Mar. 1-10.  
 Specific conductance (1949-53): Maximum daily, 3,950 micromhos Aug. 12, 1950; minimum daily, 734 micromhos Apr. 28, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 92°F July 7, 1953; minimum observed, 35°F Jan. 4, 1949; Jan. 4, 1950.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 104,000 ppm Aug. 28, 1953; minimum daily, 150 ppm Oct. 13, 1948.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 706,000 tons Aug. 4, 1951; minimum daily, 30,000 tons Oct. 3, 1947 (revised).

**REMARKS.**--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Chloride ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)		Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent Calcium, magnesium-neuston	Percent Sodium, non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH		
															Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day							
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ...	73.1	--	24	370	101	290	291	1,140	--	420	2.5	0.95	2,490	--	615	--	1,340	1,100	--	32	3.4	--	
Oct. 11-20 ...	91.5	--	24	370	101	290	291	1,140	--	420	2.5	0.95	2,490	--	615	--	1,340	1,100	--	32	3.4	--	
Oct. 21-31 ...	117	--	24	370	101	290	291	1,140	--	420	2.5	0.95	2,490	--	615	--	1,340	1,100	--	32	3.4	--	
Nov. 1-10 ...	133	--	24	370	101	290	291	1,140	--	420	2.5	0.95	2,490	--	615	--	1,340	1,100	--	32	3.4	--	
Nov. 11-20 ...	187	21	275	81	257	21	276	855	352	4.2	--	--	1,980	2.69	1,000	--	1,020	794	36	3.5	2.840	--	
Nov. 21-30 ...	192	--	24	370	101	290	291	1,140	--	420	2.5	0.95	2,490	--	615	--	1,340	1,100	--	32	3.4	--	
Dec. 1-10 ...	214	--	24	370	101	290	291	1,140	--	420	2.5	0.95	2,490	--	615	--	1,340	1,100	--	32	3.4	--	
Dec. 11-20 ...	221	20	253	79	217	308	769	328	3.0	--	1,820	2.48	1,090	960	707	707	707	707	32	3.1	2,590	--	
Dec. 21-31 ...	229	--	24	370	101	290	291	1,140	--	420	2.5	0.95	2,490	--	615	--	1,340	1,100	--	32	3.4	--	
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ...	220	19	241	72	221	304	714	312	2.8	--	1,730	2.35	1,030	900	651	651	651	651	35	3.2	2,490	7.8	
Jan. 11-20 ...	238	19	238	71	216	306	700	290	2.8	--	1,680	2.30	1,090	885	634	634	634	634	35	3.2	2,490	7.8	
Jan. 21-31 ...	260	19	255	76	218	315	737	280	2.7	--	1,760	2.42	1,061	950	692	692	692	692	35	3.1	2,560	7.8	
Feb. 1-10 ...	190	--	22	278	81	239	270	879	350	2.2	--	1,980	2.69	1,030	809	534	534	534	534	35	3.2	2,590	--
Feb. 11-20 ...	155	22	278	81	239	270	879	350	2.2	--	1,980	2.69	1,030	809	534	534	534	534	35	3.2	2,590	--	
Feb. 21-28 ...	136	--	22	278	81	239	270	879	350	2.2	--	1,980	2.69	1,030	809	534	534	534	534	35	3.2	2,590	--
Mar. 1-10 ...	173	--	24	333	92	268	307	1,010	362	0.8	--	2,260	3.07	628	1,210	958	958	958	958	33	3.3	2,760	--
Mar. 11-20 ...	103	24	333	92	268	307	1,010	362	0.8	--	2,260	3.07	628	1,210	958	958	958	958	33	3.3	2,760	--	
Mar. 21-31 ...	78.7	--	24	333	92	268	307	1,010	362	0.8	--	2,260	3.07	628	1,210	958	958	958	958	33	3.3	2,760	--



## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VIRGIN RIVER AT LITTLEFIELD, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 /Once-daily measurement generally taken between 7 a. m. and 10 a. m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	69	65	47	49	51	53	58	61	66	70	75	68
2	68	62	50	50	53	59	64	61	63	68	70	68
3	66	a 68	58	50	52	a 59	61	60	66	a 80	72	67
4	66	63	48	49	52	53	61	a 68	66	71	68	69
5	65	61	48	49	52	52	a 69	61	66	74	69	a 80
6	65	a 69	50	50	54	54	65	62	a 72	a 89	70	a 78
7	64	60	51	54	57	54	60	66	66	a 92	--	68
8	64	a 66	54	54	56	54	55	65	67	a 81	70	69
9	66	57	52	55	a 53	55	60	61	67	75	73	70
10	65	54	50	53	a 54	61	57	61	66	a 80	71	68
11	66	54	50	55	50	56	58	67	66	a 89	76	68
12	66	56	50	54	52	56	58	62	70	a 90	--	a 78
13	65	54	51	55	51	56	60	a 80	68	a 86	a 82	70
14	64	55	53	53	51	54	60	a 73	a 81	a 88	72	69
15	63	56	53	48	55	56	60	a 65	a 78	76	72	68
16	63	52	54	49	52	56	60	64	67	75	a 86	67
17	64	--	a 57	50	51	a 66	62	a 83	68	77	a 86	68
18	62	--	56	50	52	--	61	69	a 75	74	a 86	68
19	64	--	56	51	a 55	59	a 76	a 80	a 80	a 88	a 86	69
20	65	a 57	57	50	48	58	67	70	69	74	71	a 82
21	64	52	53	50	49	57	a 67	68	a 85	75	71	67
22	64	50	48	50	50	59	66	a 81	68	73	70	a 76
23	63	49	48	51	a 55	59	65	a 66	70	77	68	64
24	65	47	47	53	55	59	a 67	63	69	78	70	64
25	65	47	50	53	52	62	63	63	69	a 88	a 81	64
26	62	47	a 52	51	52	66	65	65	70	75	73	64
27	62	45	a 50	50	52	60	65	62	67	--	70	66
28	65	46	47	48	56	a 69	a 73	62	67	74	73	a 77
29	63	--	52	51	--	a 63	58	62	67	74	70	70
30	67	48	a 50	53	--	a 60	60	64	70	75	70	65
31	64	--	52	52	--	a 60	--	a 79	--	75	71	--
Aver-												
age	65	55	51	51	53	58	63	67	70	79	74	70

a Between 10 a. m. and 7 p. m.

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VIRGIN RIVER AT LITTLEFIELD, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December				
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment			
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)		Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		
1.....	75	532	108	114	1,250	385	216	2,810	1,640
2.....	76	469	96	114	1,350	416	233	3,620	2,280
3.....	74	399	80	120	1,750	567	246	3,280	2,180
4.....	71	257	49	132	1,890	674	216	3,090	1,800
5.....	68	218	40	132	2,100	748	204	2,830	1,560
6.....	67	312	56	123	1,580	525	204	2,510	1,380
7.....	68	307	56	145	2,240	877	211	2,620	1,490
8.....	75	1,050	213	166	3,420	1,530	208	2,490	1,400
9.....	82	1,010	224	145	2,230	873	202	2,580	1,410
10.....	75	530	107	138	2,020	753	199	2,190	1,180
11.....	75	320	65	139	2,130	799	195	2,100	1,110
12.....	76	400	62	139	2,130	799	197	1,870	995
13.....	76	470	96	143	1,990	768	197	1,980	1,050
14.....	79	850	181	145	1,820	713	188	2,000	1,020
15.....	83	750	168	213	6,680	3,840	199	2,470	1,330
16.....	84	1,250	284	246	6,890	4,580	202	2,460	1,340
17.....	105	2,370	672	243	5,630	3,690	218	2,490	1,470
18.....	113	2,350	717	216	4,530	2,640	268	4,420	3,200
19.....	108	1,920	560	195	2,960	1,560	280	4,700	3,550
20.....	116	1,880	589	190	2,790	1,430	262	3,070	2,170
21.....	116	1,580	495	195	3,580	1,880	271	3,720	2,720
22.....	106	1,700	487	199	3,030	1,630	274	3,800	2,810
23.....	118	1,970	628	199	2,720	1,460	238	3,070	1,970
24.....	114	1,450	446	202	2,740	1,490	218	3,490	2,050
25.....	118	1,650	526	190	2,340	1,200	206	2,260	1,260
26.....	113	1,640	500	186	2,120	1,060	213	2,080	1,200
27.....	116	1,730	542	186	2,170	1,090	220	2,000	1,190
28.....	118	1,520	484	186	2,050	1,030	213	2,000	1,150
29.....	123	1,810	601	183	2,100	a 1,000	218	1,850	1,090
30.....	121	1,480	484	195	2,130	1,120	223	1,880	1,130
31.....	121	1,500	490	--	--	--	223	2,270	1,370
Total.	2,930	--	10,126	5,119	--	41,127	6,862	--	51,495
	January		February		March				
1.....	228	2,110	1,300	192	1,650	855	157	1,330	s 585
2.....	220	2,200	1,310	192	1,570	814	202	1,450	791
3.....	211	2,160	1,230	181	1,510	738	186	1,370	688
4.....	211	2,440	1,390	213	2,540	1,460	183	1,310	647
5.....	211	1,980	1,130	197	1,930	1,030	181	1,320	645
6.....	223	2,580	1,550	179	1,720	831	186	1,310	658
7.....	216	2,220	1,290	170	1,790	822	179	1,410	681
8.....	223	2,380	1,430	175	1,450	685	162	1,500	656
9.....	230	2,240	1,390	218	2,200	1,200	145	1,290	505
10.....	223	2,250	1,350	186	1,450	728	145	1,170	458
11.....	213	1,930	1,110	155	1,080	452	145	1,260	493
12.....	218	1,880	1,110	158	1,000	427	138	1,170	436
13.....	204	1,900	1,050	164	1,250	554	126	1,040	354
14.....	271	9,180	s b12,100	168	1,360	617	120	1,120	363
15.....	349	11,600	s b13,700	151	1,270	518	113	975	297
16.....	238	3,100	1,990	151	1,240	506	90	825	200
17.....	226	2,600	1,590	158	1,280	546	80	680	147
18.....	220	2,600	1,540	143	940	363	74	650	130
19.....	230	2,580	1,600	147	1,130	448	72	670	130
20.....	216	2,340	1,360	158	1,440	614	71	830	159
21.....	220	2,220	1,320	136	1,180	433	67	540	98
22.....	220	2,280	1,350	130	1,020	358	72	605	118
23.....	208	1,820	1,020	138	1,030	384	72	740	144
24.....	192	1,890	980	141	955	364	74	670	134
25.....	197	1,950	1,040	141	1,110	423	71	510	98
26.....	197	1,790	952	138	960	358	68	360	66
27.....	202	1,570	856	134	1,200	434	67	374	68
28.....	192	1,510	783	128	930	321	66	350	62
29.....	188	1,670	848	--	--	--	68	440	81
30.....	188	1,550	787	--	--	--	114	1,360	s 515
31.....	192	1,400	726	--	--	--	138	1,500	588
Total.	6,777	--	61,182	4,542	--	17,373	3,632	--	10,966

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

b Computed from water-sediment discharge curve.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VIRGIN RIVER AT LITTLEFIELD, ARIZ.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	116	960	301	106	1,450	415	74	350	70
2.....	97	780	204	116	1,330	417	74	614	123
3.....	90	830	202	103	920	256	74	458	92
4.....	98	828	219	89	830	199	76	401	82
5.....	106	860	246	80	750	162	76	399	82
6.....	105	630	179	76	596	122	74	370	74
7.....	100	550	148	74	545	109	72	360	70
8.....	105	650	184	72	600	117	70	443	84
9.....	103	620	172	71	480	88	70	435	82
10.....	98	566	150	74	540	108	70	345	65
11.....	90	440	107	74	570	114	68	365	67
12.....	90	520	126	74	530	106	68	330	61
13.....	83	530	119	72	590	115	66	290	52
14.....	97	693	s 208	71	580	111	66	280	46
15.....	120	1,150	373	72	478	93	65	300	53
16.....	94	725	184	72	460	89	65	450	79
17.....	84	582	132	74	560	112	66	510	91
18.....	83	495	111	74	640	128	67	521	94
19.....	83	480	103	72	520	101	66	440	78
20.....	82	400	89	72	565	110	66	370	66
21.....	82	350	77	74	515	103	66	360	64
22.....	82	390	86	74	555	111	66	420	75
23.....	82	510	113	76	434	89	67	443	80
24.....	83	470	105	77	465	97	66	420	75
25.....	84	440	100	76	557	114	66	490	87
26.....	83	395	89	75	520	105	66	450	80
27.....	84	380	86	74	380	76	67	373	87
28.....	105	1,820	s 2,260	74	430	86	66	360	64
29.....	280	9,900	s 9,240	74	450	90	67	450	81
30.....	141	2,200	838	74	356	71	67	480	87
31.....	--	--	--	74	350	70	--	--	--
Total.	3,030	--	16,551	2,410	--	4,084	2,057	--	2,271
	July			August			September		
1.....	67	440	80	612	67,200	s 127,000	81	2,000	437
2.....	67	401	73	1,270	68,200	s 264,000	74	1,080	216
3.....	67	380	69	245	17,200	11,400	69	840	156
4.....	66	395	70	122	7,700	2,540	69	800	149
5.....	67	425	77	81	2,840	621	69	770	143
6.....	66	360	64	80	1,390	300	68	825	151
7.....	66	404	72	72	905	176	69	748	139
8.....	66	410	73	72	757	147	68	705	129
9.....	67	290	52	72	725	141	68	760	140
10.....	67	350	63	70	796	150	66	550	98
11.....	66	352	63	69	850	158	66	525	94
12.....	68	300	55	70	820	a 150	66	700	125
13.....	68	355	65	75	700	142	66	810	109
14.....	76	10,000	2,050	69	430	80	68	780	143
15.....	72	7,250	1,110	68	440	81	68	760	140
16.....	71	800	153	68	443	81	66	702	125
17.....	158	13,100	s 7,430	68	350	64	66	645	115
18.....	195	43,000	23,500	68	600	110	66	614	109
19.....	289	41,800	s 39,200	69	490	91	66	690	123
20.....	224	79,500	s 52,900	69	460	86	68	570	105
21.....	134	35,800	13,400	69	370	69	66	619	110
22.....	108	13,800	4,020	69	500	93	64	594	103
23.....	82	4,000	886	69	339	63	66	640	114
24.....	75	1,710	346	69	405	75	66	610	109
25.....	74	1,600	320	69	540	101	64	594	103
26.....	397	60,300	s 83,400	72	864	168	64	555	98
27.....	154	41,400	s 18,500	1,140	78,400	s 385,000	66	620	110
28.....	97	5,800	1,520	1,120	104,000	s 358,000	66	730	130
29.....	88	982	229	316	45,500	s 42,300	66	690	123
30.....	265	45,900	s 43,900	139	16,300	6,120	64	530	92
31.....	737	68,400	157,000	98	5,700	1,480	--	--	--
Total.	4,164	--	451,040	6,617	--	1,220,987	2,019	--	4,036

Total discharge for year (cfs-days)..... 50,159

Total load for year (tons)..... 1,891,238

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated concentration graph.

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN

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## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VIRGIN RIVER AT LITTLEFIELD, ARIZ.--Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom; W, water; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 V, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; M, chemically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters							Methods of analysis
						0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	
Suspended sediment													
Oct. 10, 1952	7:00 a.m.	79	65	328	---	--	--	--	--	--	56	68	94
Oct. 20	9:00 a.m.	113	65	1,870	2,310	2,120	48	78	51	51	88	92	--
Oct. 30	10:00 a.m.	109	67	1,360	3,200	2,180	26	27	17	17	68	82	100
Nov. 20	4:00 p.m.	195	57	2,760	2,530	3,940	17	17	22	22	53	73	92
Nov. 30	8:00 a.m.	186	48	2,530	3,940	3,310	11	11	19	19	53	81	96
Dec. 10	8:30 a.m.	199	50	2,190	4,120	4,880	12	12	23	23	52	81	100
Dec. 20	8:30 a.m.	262	57	2,990	2,010	8	15	15	15	37	73	95	100
Dec. 30	8:30 a.m.	223	50	1,940	2,010	2,500	9	14	14	14	36	70	95
Jan. 10, 1953	8:30 a.m.	223	53	2,450	2,500	2,290	13	20	20	20	46	76	97
Jan. 20	9:00 a.m.	211	50	1,750	2,110	2,290	13	13	13	13	34	75	98
Feb. 10	11:30 a.m.	179	54	1,410	1,30	1,30	--	--	--	--	33	73	99
Feb. 20	8:00 a.m.	147	48	1,410	1,30	1,30	--	--	--	--	31	66	98
Feb. 28	8:00 a.m.	148	56	1,330	851	851	--	--	--	--	17	46	81
Mar. 10	10:00 a.m.	143	61	1,440	1,440	1,440	--	--	--	--	16	28	70
Mar. 31	8:00 a.m.	128	60	2,120	1,690	1,690	--	--	--	--	16	28	70
Apr. 10	9:00 a.m.	90	57	364	5,350	5,180	--	--	--	--	28	62	76
Apr. 29	7:30 a.m.	306	58	9,830	4,770	4,770	37	37	57	57	80	90	97
Apr. 29	7:30 a.m.	306	58	9,830	4,770	4,770	1	1	57	57	80	90	97
Apr. 29	6:30 p.m.	206	68	3,500	5,750	5,750	40	40	65	65	80	92	99
Apr. 30	8:00 a.m.	141	60	3,500	5,750	5,750	--	--	--	--	30	41	89
May 30	6:30 a.m.	75	64	369	---	---	--	--	--	--	44	61	98
May 31	4:00 p.m.	73	79	214	---	---	--	--	--	--	24	39	90
June 29	7:30 a.m.	66	67	230	---	---	--	--	--	--	24	39	90
July 14	5:00 p.m.	77	88	20,400	3,350	4,320	61	96	96	96	98	99	100
July 17	3:00 p.m.	265	81	56,400	3,350	4,320	55	55	87	91	94	97	100
July 19	4:20 p.m.	746	86	39,100	6,200	6,200	47	47	72	82	89	95	99
July 20	7:30 a.m.	376	75	87,100	3,340	3,340	38	38	75	89	95	97	100
July 20	7:30 a.m.	294	76	67,300	6,140	6,140	35	35	75	91	97	98	100
July 31	7:30 a.m.	1,950	75	83,900	6,140	6,140	28	28	57	72	72	91	98

VIRGIN RIVER BASIN --Continued

VIRGIN RIVER AT LITTLEFIELD AB12 --Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953.—Continued  
Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, mechanically dispersed; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
W, in distilled water; C, chemically dispersed; M, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube

## VIRGIN RIVER BASIN -Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN VIRGIN RIVER BASIN IN UTAH

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		Soil-sodium adsorption ratio		Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Fluoride (F)	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per day	Tons per acre-foot	
FORT PIERCE WASH NEAR ST. GEORGE																		
July 13, 14, 17, 26, 1953	39	660	43	27		250	1,560	20		1.3	0.16	2,460	3.35	1,820	1,620	3	0.3	2,630
Aug. 1, 27, .....	22	630	41	37		146	1,600	26		1.8		2,430	3.30	1,740	1,620	4	.4	2,560
																	7.2	

July 13, 14, 17, 26, 1953	39	660	43	27		250	1,560	20		1.3	0.16	2,460	3.35	1,820	1,620	3	0.3	2,630
Aug. 1, 27, .....	22	630	41	37		146	1,600	26		1.8		2,430	3.30	1,740	1,620	4	.4	2,560

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued  
LAKE MEAD NEAR BOULDER CITY, NEV.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1892 to September 1933 represent distances measured along the Colorado River downstream from the gauging station at Lees Ferry, Ariz.

Apr. 14, 1953 .....	5	1,146	59.0	-	-	180	--	--	2.4	--	356	1,040
Apr. 14 .....	50	1,101	58.0	11	31	210	309	108	2.4	--	1,210	
Apr. 14 .....	100	1,051	57.5	--	--	209	--	--	--	--	1,180	
Apr. 14 .....	130	1,021	57.1	12	88	204	202	95	2.5	342	1,130	
Apr. 14 .....	132	1,019	--	11	91	216	330	131	3.2	374	1,330	

ICEBERG CANYON, MILE 237.5									
Apr 15, 1953	5	1,146	61.5	--	--	182	--	--	--
Apr. 15.....	50	1,101	59.1	--	--	206	--	--	1,050
Apr. 15.....	100	1,051	58.4	11	92	205	316	2.4	1,220
Apr. 15.....	158	983	55.9	--	--	193	--	--	1,230
Apr. 15.....	160	991	56.2	--	--	286	--	--	1,130
Apr. 15.....	171	994	57.2	--	--	--	--	--	1,210
July 1.....	5	1,160	74.7	11	39	9.7	112	86	1.8
July 1.....	50	1,115	73.9	--	--	--	113	--	430
July 1.....	100	1,065	63.7	10	73	20	213	--	446
July 1.....	150	1,015	57.5	--	--	--	182	67	885
July 1.....	170	995	57.0	12	87	24	183	83	1,070
July 1.....	171	994	57.2	12	85	24	196	80	314

SANDY POINT, MILE 293.5									
Apr. 15, 1953	5	1,146	61.0	--	--	173	--	--	979
Apr. 15, 1953	50	1,101	57.2	17	24	167	69	1.8	289
Apr. 15, 1953	100	1,051	58.0	13	30	199	303	2.6	348
Apr. 15, 1953	150	1,001	55.6	--	--	183	--	--	1,080
Apr. 15, 1953	200	951	54.7	13	88	28	186	2.5	334
Apr. 15, 1953	218	933	54.6	--	--	186	92	--	1,080
Apr. 15, 1953	220	931	54.8	--	--	185	331	--	1,140

## SANDY POINT, MILE 293.5--Continued

	July 1, 1953	5	1,190	78.5	11	39	12		114	98	23	2.3		148	457
July 1	.....	50	1,115	73.4	--	--	--		116	244	78	2.7		--	446
July 1	.....	100	1,085	62.8	12	75	26		174	260	83	2.3		282	977
July 1	.....	150	1,015	57.7	11	79	36		176	187	--	--		348	1,040
July 1	.....	200	985	55.3	--	--	--		176	187	--	--		--	1,080
July 1	.....	228	987	54.8	--	--	--		187	264	92	2.9		--	983
July 1	.....	229	986	55.0	11	82	26		187	264	92	2.9		318	1,040

## VIRGIN CANYON, MILE 305.5

	Apr. 14, 1953	5	1,146	58.5	12	78	22		158	239	58	1.6		286	880
Apr. 14	.....	50	1,101	57.7	12	81	23		157	250	67	1.8		--	887
Apr. 14	.....	100	1,051	55.1	--	--	--		164	268	--	--		298	922
Apr. 14	.....	150	984	54.8	12	86	25		166	268	77	2.3		--	949
Apr. 14	.....	200	951	54.6	--	--	--		173	268	--	--		315	1,010
Apr. 14	.....	250	901	54.1	--	--	--		178	286	--	--		--	1,030
Apr. 14	.....	303	848	53.3	--	--	--		180	286	--	--		--	1,050
Apr. 14	.....	305	846	53.7	--	--	--		286	--	--	--		--	1,170
July 2	.....	5	1,160	73.8	11	43	14		116	91	23	1.5		164	454
July 2	.....	50	1,115	69.9	8.3	50	14		129	123	40	1.6		184	566
July 2	.....	100	1,065	65.0	--	--	--		170	170	--	--		--	987
July 2	.....	150	1,015	58.2	--	--	--		177	264	--	--		--	1,010
July 2	.....	200	985	55.2	12	84	26		177	264	81	2.1		318	1,040
July 2	.....	250	915	54.9	--	--	--		177	242	--	--		--	1,040
July 2	.....	300	865	54.1	13	78	25		170	242	76	2.5		300	976
July 2	.....	318	847	54.1	--	--	--		174	242	76	2.5		--	1,020
July 2	.....	319	846	54.3	13	91	25		192	253	78	1.8		330	1,030

## OVERTON ARM OF LAKE AT LINE OF DEMARCACTION BETWEEN TURBID AND CLEAR WATER, 27 MILES ABOVE MOUTH OF VIRGIN RIVER

	Apr. 16, 1953	5	0	1,151	62.5	13	169	59		156	618	214	1.2		666	1,950

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## LAKE MEAD NEAR BOULDER CITY, NEV.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Depth (feet)	Elevation (feet)	Temperature (°F)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium and potassium (Na-K)	Bicarbonate (Na-CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Dissolved solids (sum)	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)
Apr. 16, 1953 ...	5		59.7	11	80	21			58	1.4		287	858	
Apr. 16 ..... 50	1,146	56.6	--				151	154	--	--	--	845		
Apr. 16 ..... 100	1,101	54.7	--				155	166	--	--	--	865		
Apr. 16 ..... 150	1,051	53.9	--				172	172	--	--	--	965		
Apr. 16 ..... 200	1,001	53.3	--				183	183	--	--	--	1,010		
Apr. 16 ..... 252	951	53.1	--									1,030		
Apr. 16 ..... 294.5	899	53.1	--											
	597	53.1	--											

## OVERTON ARM OF LAKE, 9.3 MILES ABOVE MOUTH OF VIRGIN RIVER (LOWER VIRGIN NARROWS)

Date of collection	Depth (feet)	Elevation (feet)	Temperature (°F)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium and potassium (Na-K)	Bicarbonate (Na-CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Dissolved solids (sum)	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	
Apr. 13, 1953 ...	5	1,146	58.9	11	77	20			155	228	55	1.4	274	848	
Apr. 13 ..... 50	1,101	57.4	--				151	157	--	--	--	847			
Apr. 13 ..... 100	1,051	55.2	--				157	158	246	61	1.4	867			
Apr. 13 ..... 150	1,001	54.2	--				21	156	--	--	--	295	901		
Apr. 13 ..... 175	976	53.7	--				23	163	262	67	1.8	306	922		
Apr. 13 ..... 200	951	53.4	--				23	169	--	--	--	306	957		
Apr. 13 ..... 250	901	53.2	--				27	177	284	80	2.1	332	1,010		
Apr. 13 ..... 300	851	53.0	14	89	--		27	177	--	--	--	1,050			
Apr. 13 ..... 350	801	53.1	--	--			174	174	--	--	--	1,030			
Apr. 13 ..... 388	763	53.1	--	--			177	177	--	--	--	1,030			
Apr. 13 ..... 390.5	761	53.2	--	--			417	417	--	--	--	1,210			
July 2 ..... 5	1,160	76.0	12	64	20		150	183	33	1.8	244	773			
July 2 ..... 50	1,115	70.0	--	83	20		155	155	239	61	1.8	290	903		
July 2 ..... 100	1,065	63.0	10	--			157	157	--	--	--	908			
July 2 ..... 150	1,015	57.0	--	--			159	159	--	--	--	898			
July 2 ..... 175	990	55.3	--	--											
July 2 ..... 200	965	54.4	12	84	21		164	250	67	1.6	298	936			
July 2 ..... 250	915	53.8	--	--			166	--	--	--	--	973			
July 2 ..... 300	865	53.5	--	--			164	--	--	--	--	985			
July 2 ..... 350	815	53.3	--	--			173	--	--	--	--	1,030			
July 2 ..... 403	762	53.3	16	87	26		150	289	74	2.2	326	1,010			
July 2 ..... 404	761	53.5	--	--			264	264	--	--	--	1,030			

## BOULDER CANYON, MILE 334

Date of collection	Depth (feet)	Elevation (feet)	Temperature (°F)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium and potassium (Na-K)	Bicarbonate (Na-CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Dissolved solids (sum)	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)
Apr. 13, 1953 ...	5	59.9	--											
Apr. 13 ..... 50	57.4	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 100	55.2	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 150	54.2	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 175	53.7	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 200	53.4	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 250	53.2	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 300	53.0	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 350	53.1	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 388	53.1	--												
Apr. 13 ..... 390.5	53.2	--												
July 2 ..... 5	1,160	76.0	12	64	20		150	183	33	1.8	244	773		
July 2 ..... 50	1,115	70.0	--	83	20		155	155	239	61	1.8	290	903	
July 2 ..... 100	1,065	63.0	10	--			157	157	--	--	--	908		
July 2 ..... 150	1,015	57.0	--	--			159	159	--	--	--	898		
July 2 ..... 175	990	55.3	--	--										
July 2 ..... 200	965	54.4	12	84	21		164	250	67	1.6	298	936		
July 2 ..... 250	915	53.8	--	--			166	--	--	--	--	973		
July 2 ..... 300	865	53.5	--	--			164	--	--	--	--	985		
July 2 ..... 350	815	53.3	--	--			173	--	--	--	--	1,030		
July 2 ..... 403	762	53.3	16	87	26		150	289	74	2.2	326	1,010		
July 2 ..... 404	761	53.5	--	--			264	264	--	--	--	1,030		

## NEAR INTAKE TOWERS MILE 354.7

Oct. 30, 1952.....	5	1,178	74.4	--	--	140	--	--	--	--	723
Oct. 30.....	50	1,133	74.3	12	61	18	137	39	1.5	--	720
Oct. 30.....	100	1,083	71.8	--	--	136	171	--	--	--	681
Oct. 30.....	150	1,033	62.6	--	--	141	141	--	--	--	739
Oct. 30.....	200	983	54.0	--	--	142	142	--	--	--	782
Oct. 30.....	250	933	53.0	--	--	158	158	--	--	--	948
Oct. 30.....	300	883	52.7	11	82	29	170	239	2.0	322	1,000
Oct. 30.....	350	833	52.2	10	66	22	146	203	1.4	256	787
Oct. 30.....	400	783	52.1	--	--	150	150	--	--	--	840
Oct. 30.....	454	729	52.0	12	67	29	162	223	1.9	286	876
Oct. 30.....	456	727	52.0	--	--	214	--	--	--	--	1,070
Nov. 26.....	5	1,172	64.6	9.9	59	21	137	176	1.2	234	703
Nov. 26.....	50	1,127	64.5	--	--	137	--	--	--	--	701
Nov. 26.....	100	1,077	64.5	--	--	135	--	--	--	--	700
Nov. 26.....	150	1,027	63.9	--	--	140	--	--	--	--	716
Nov. 26.....	200	977	53.9	9.6	72	34	162	272	2.1	321	1,000
Nov. 26.....	250	927	52.5	--	--	161	--	--	--	--	968
Nov. 26.....	300	877	52.1	--	--	164	--	--	--	--	1,020
Nov. 26.....	350	827	51.9	10	70	37	168	271	2.3	328	1,020
Nov. 26.....	400	777	51.6	--	--	170	--	--	--	--	1,020
Nov. 26.....	447	730	52.2	--	--	168	--	--	--	--	948
Nov. 26.....	450	727	52.6	23	--	--	254	261	4.6	372	1,120
Dec. 30.....	5	1,164	58.8	10	71	17	142	198	1.0	248	752
Dec. 30.....	50	1,119	58.7	--	--	144	--	--	--	--	748
Dec. 30.....	100	1,069	58.7	--	--	142	--	--	--	--	746
Dec. 30.....	150	1,019	58.7	--	--	144	--	--	--	--	748
Dec. 30.....	165	1,004	57.4	11	77	22	152	229	1.5	280	850
Dec. 30.....	200	969	54.7	9.6	90	24	166	284	1.8	325	1,010
Dec. 30.....	250	919	52.9	--	--	164	--	--	--	--	991
Dec. 30.....	300	869	52.5	--	--	168	--	--	--	--	988
Dec. 30.....	350	819	52.1	--	--	164	--	--	--	--	994
Dec. 30.....	400	769	52.0	--	--	170	--	--	--	--	1,010
Dec. 30.....	440	729	51.9	11	91	25	174	273	2.0	328	1,070
Dec. 30.....	441	728	52.3	--	--	220	--	--	--	--	

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COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued  
LAKE MEAD NEAR BOULDER CITY, NEV.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Depth (feet)	Elevation (feet)	Temperature (°F)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium and potassium (Na+K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Dissolved solids (sum)	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)
NEAR INTAKE TOWERS, MILE 354.7--Continued														
Feb. 4, 1953.....	5	1,157	56.4	10	72	18		146	205	48	1.4		256	773
Feb. 4 .....	50	1,112	55.8	--	--	--		145	--	--	--		--	771
Feb. 4 .....	100	1,082	55.8	--	--	--		147	--	--	--		--	770
Feb. 4 .....	145	1,017	55.6	--	--	--		149	--	--	--		--	776
Feb. 4 .....	160	1,002	55.5	9.7	--	21		153	227	56	1.6		277	835
Feb. 4 .....	175	987	55.3	11	88	24		164	270	70	2.0		316	976
Feb. 4 .....	200	962	54.1	--	--			169	--	--	--		--	1,040
Feb. 4 .....	250	912	52.9	10	93	24		169	280	76	2.1		334	
Feb. 4 .....	300	862	52.4	--	--	--		172	--	--	--		--	1,030
Feb. 4 .....	350	812	52.0	--	--	--		172	--	--	--		--	1,020
Feb. 4 .....	400	762	52.0	--	--	--		170	--	--	--		--	1,020
Feb. 4 .....	433	729	52.0	--	--	--		176	--	--	--		--	1,030
Feb. 4 .....	434	728	52.1	--	--			242	--	--	--		--	1,080
Mar. 3 .....	5	1,152	54.1	--	--	--		151	--	--	--		--	814
Mar. 3 .....	50	1,107	54.1	--	--	--		151	--	--	--		--	816
Mar. 3 .....	100	1,057	53.9	--	--	--		151	--	--	--		--	819
Mar. 3 .....	150	1,007	53.9	--	--	--		151	--	--	--		--	819
Mar. 3 .....	162	995	53.9	20	79	22		163	235	58	1.3		287	872
Mar. 3 .....	200	957	53.9	10	91	25		173	282	75	2.0		329	1,000 <sup>a</sup>
Mar. 3 .....	250	907	53.4	11	93	26		176	289	78	2.1		340	1,060
Mar. 3 .....	300	857	53.0	--	--	--		176	3176	--	--		--	1,030
Mar. 3 .....	350	807	52.3	10	93	25		172	288	77	2.1		337	1,040
Mar. 3 .....	400	757	52.3	--	--	--		173	--	--	--		--	1,050
Mar. 3 .....	426	729	52.3	--	--	--		177	--	--	--		--	1,040
Mar. 3 .....	429	728	52.3	15	94	26		184	287	80	2.0		342	1,060
Mar. 31 .....	5	1,147	57.5	--	--	--		152	--	--	--		--	840
Mar. 31 .....	50	1,102	56.0	--	--	--		153	--	--	--		--	852
Mar. 31 .....	100	1,052	54.6	--	--	--		152	--	--	--		--	832
Mar. 31 .....	150	1,002	54.1	--	--	--		153	--	--	--		--	848
Mar. 31 .....	165	987	54.1	--	--	--		158	244	60	1.8		291	888
Mar. 31 .....	170	982	54.1	--	--	--		164	--	--	--		--	942
Mar. 31 .....	185	987	53.9	10	87	25		168	271	72	1.8		318	985

<sup>a</sup> Includes equivalent of 14 parts per million of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub>).

## NEAR INTAKE TOWERS, MILE 354.7--Continued

Mar. 31, 1953	200	952	53.7	--	--	26	170	--	--	2.0
Mar. 31	250	902	53.1	11	91	171	287	77	393	991
Mar. 31	300	852	52.8	--	--	176	--	--	--	1,030
Mar. 31	350	802	52.7	--	--	179	--	--	--	1,060
Mar. 31	400	752	52.6	--	--	179	--	--	--	1,040
Mar. 31	424	728	52.6	13	94	25	183	290	339	1,060
Mar. 31	425	727	52.6	--	--	25	183	290	339	1,060
Apr. 29	5	1,144	60.1	10	77	21	154	233	56	1.1
Apr. 29	50	1,090	59.5	--	--	--	162	--	--	--
Apr. 29	100	1,049	55.5	--	--	--	150	--	--	--
Apr. 29	150	998	54.7	--	--	--	157	--	--	--
Apr. 29	170	979	54.4	11	85	22	162	259	68	1.5
Apr. 29	200	949	53.5	--	--	--	171	--	--	--
Apr. 29	250	899	53.4	--	--	--	172	--	--	--
Apr. 29	300	849	53.2	--	--	--	173	--	--	--
Apr. 29	350	799	53.1	--	--	--	168	--	--	--
Apr. 29	400	749	53.0	--	--	--	171	--	--	--
Apr. 29	418	731	53.0	12	93	25	174	291	80	1.9
Apr. 29	421.5	727	53.2	--	--	199	--	--	--	1,110
July 8	5	1,161	72.0	12	81	19	155	238	58	1.8
July 8	50	1,116	70.8	--	--	--	152	--	--	--
July 8	100	1,066	61.3	--	--	--	152	--	--	--
July 8	150	1,016	59.1	--	--	--	148	--	--	--
July 8	200	966	54.7	12	79	22	159	235	62	--
July 8	250	916	53.9	13	88	23	166	261	70	3.1
July 8	300	866	53.4	14	87	26	170	271	75	3.3
July 8	350	816	53.4	--	--	--	171	--	--	--
July 8	400	766	53.4	--	--	--	175	--	--	--
July 8	435	731	53.4	--	--	--	176	--	--	--
July 8	438	728	53.4	15	90	26	178	280	80	--
July 8	440	726	53.6	17	89	28	208	257	77	4.3
Aug. 3	5	1,160	80.1	12	70	20	136	233	56	.7
Aug. 3	50	1,116	78.7	--	--	--	144	--	--	--
Aug. 3	100	1,066	63.8	12	76	23	152	237	58	3.2
Aug. 3	150	1,016	58.0	--	--	--	152	--	--	--
Aug. 3	200	966	54.5	11	78	23	156	240	61	4.0
Aug. 3	250	916	53.7	--	--	--	163	--	--	--

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## LAKE MEAD NEAR BOULDER CITY, NEV.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Depth (feet)	Elevation (feet)	Temperature (°F)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium and potassium (Na+K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Dissolved solids (sum)	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)
NEAR INTAKE TOWERS, MILE 354.7--Continued														
Aug. 3, 1953 ...	300	966	53.6	--	--	--	148	--	--	--	--	--	--	850
Aug. 3 .....	330	816	53.5	--	--	26	169	269	72	4.4	--	--	--	1,020
Aug. 3 .....	400	766	53.4	12	84	24	166	280	78	4.4	--	318	997	
Aug. 3 .....	438.5	728	53.4	12	90	--	216	--	--	--	--	324	1,030	
Aug. 3 .....	439	727	53.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,050
Sept. 1 .....	5	1,158	78.4	10	70	21	134	226	56	1.6	262	825		
Sept. 1 .....	50	1,113	78.0	--	--	--	138	--	--	--	--	--	--	818
Sept. 1 .....	100	1,063	66.1	10	84	17	151	242	56	3.3	282	857		
Sept. 1 .....	150	1,013	60.7	--	--	--	156	--	--	--	--	--	--	860
Sept. 1 .....	200	963	57.0	--	--	--	152	--	--	--	--	--	--	861
Sept. 1 .....	250	913	53.7	--	--	--	171	--	--	--	--	--	--	972
Sept. 1 .....	300	863	53.6	6.8	86	23	164	265	70	3.6	310	961		
Sept. 1 .....	350	813	53.6	--	--	--	171	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,000
Sept. 1 .....	400	763	53.6	8.4	89	24	208	278	76	1.7	320	1,010		
Sept. 1 .....	436	727	53.6	9.6	89	24	175	275	74	4.6	324	1,010		
Sept. 1 .....	437	726	53.6	--	--	--	210	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,030
Sept. 29 .....	5	1,153	77.4	10	70	21	133	224	56	.6	260	827		
Sept. 29 .....	50	1,108	76.9	--	--	--	134	--	--	--	--	--	--	821
Sept. 29 .....	100	1,058	66.4	11	77	22	152	235	58	.9	286	879		
Sept. 29 .....	150	1,008	60.7	--	--	--	155	--	--	--	--	--	--	870
Sept. 29 .....	200	958	57.2	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	--	--	881
Sept. 29 .....	250	908	54.4	--	--	--	164	--	--	--	--	--	--	947
Sept. 29 .....	300	858	53.8	14	85	23	167	258	69	1.1	306	966		
Sept. 29 .....	350	808	53.7	--	--	--	166	--	--	--	--	--	--	979
Sept. 29 .....	400	758	53.7	12	89	25	175	275	75	1.4	324	1,020		
Sept. 29 .....	450	728	53.7	--	--	--	174	--	--	--	--	--	--	997
Sept. 29 .....	451	727	53.7	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,030

## COLORADO RIVER BELOW HOOVER DAM, ARIZ.-NEV.

LOCATION.—At Hoover Dam state line between Mohave County, Arizona and Clark County, Nevada, about 1 mile upstream from gaging station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—1,167,800 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: November 1939 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: October 1941 to September 1953.

Hardness: Maximum, 706 ppm Dec. 22-24, 29-31; minimum, 477 ppm Nov. 21, 24-26, 28.

EXTREMES: 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 720 ppm Nov. 21, 24-26, 28.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,080 micromhos Apr. 6; minimum daily, 712 micromhos Nov. 25-26.

EXTREMES: 1939-53.—Dissolved solids: (1939-44) 1945-53); Maximum, 824 ppm Mar. 1-10, 1941; minimum, 477 ppm Nov. 21, 24-26, 28, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 706 ppm Jan. 21-31, 1941; minimum, 241 ppm Nov. 21, 24-26, 28, 1952.

Hardness: (1939-44, 1950-53): Maximum, 426 ppm Jan. 21-31, 1941; minimum, 241 ppm Nov. 21, 24-26, 28, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,250 micromhos Mar. 2, 1941; minimum daily, 712 micromhos Nov. 25-26, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 69°F Sept. 27, 1945 and several days in 1947 and 1948; minimum observed 50°F Mar. 23, 28, 30 1949.

Water temperatures (1941-50): Maximum observed 69°F Sept. 27, 1945 and several days in 1947 and 1948; minimum observed 50°F Mar. 23, 28, 30 1949.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

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Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953												Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non-carbonate hardness	Percent sodium carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col or
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Calcium, magnesium	Sodium adsorption ratio	
Oct. 1-3, 6-10, 1952..	23,010	--	.04	71	18	65	4.7	143	215	--	0.3	2.4	--	514	0.70	31,930	250	--
Oct. 13-17, 20-24..	21,550	12	68	21	64	--	--	--	--	46	--	505	--	69	25,660	256	139	35
Oct. 21-24, 27-31..	21,550	--	69	18	61	--	--	--	--	--	--	497	--	.68	26,970	248	--	35
Nov. 3-7, 10-14..	21,500	--	--	69	18	60	--	--	--	--	--	498	.68	26,910	247	--	35	
Nov. 12-14, 17-19..	21,900	--	--	69	18	60	--	--	--	--	--	492	.67	26,980	245	--	35	
Nov. 21-24, 26-28..	22,250	--	--	66	18	59	--	--	--	--	--	477	.65	26,920	241	--	35	
Dec. 1-5, 8-10..	23,500	--	--	73	19	64	--	--	--	--	--	528	.72	33,500	262	--	35	
Dec. 11-12, 15-19..	22,870	--	--	93	24	92	--	--	--	--	--	698	.95	43,100	331	--	38	
Dec. 22-24, 28-31..	22,750	--	--	93	24	90	--	--	--	--	--	706	.96	43,370	332	--	37	
Jan. 2, 5, 1953..	22,400	--	--	91	24	86	--	--	--	--	--	694	.94	41,970	328	--	36	
Jan. 12-16, 19-20..	20,640	--	--	92	24	88	--	--	--	--	--	691	.94	38,510	328	--	37	
Jan. 21-23, 26-30..	21,440	--	--	90	23	88	--	--	--	--	--	676	.92	38,130	320	--	38	
Feb. 2, 6, 9-10..	21,570	.03	88	28	90	4.1	164	273	.2	2.1	0.16	664	.90	38,670	334	200	37	
Feb. 11-13, 16-19..	20,350	--	--	25	91	--	--	--	--	--	--	674	.91	37,110	321	--	2.1	
Feb. 21, 24-27..	18,440	--	--	88	25	91	--	--	--	--	--	667	.91	35,210	321	--	38	
Mar. 2-6, 9-10..	18,590	--	--	88	25	91	--	--	--	--	--	672	.91	33,730	323	--	38	
Mar. 11-13, 16-20..	19,350	--	--	90	26	94	--	--	--	--	--	695	.95	36,310	333	--	38	
Mar. 23-27, 30-31..	17,760	--	--	89	25	93	--	--	--	--	--	689	.94	33,040	327	--	38	

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## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER BELOW HOOVER DAM, ARIZ.-NEV.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Ca-calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^-$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 160°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH				
														Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per milliliter							
Apr. 1-3, 6-10, 1953	17,500	--	88	26	92	90	4.9	168	--	288	.73	0.4	2.3	--	690	0.94	32,600	329	--	2.2	1,030	--	
Apr. 13-17, 20, 21-24, 27-30, 1953	17,350	12	0.04	87	32	94	--	--	--	--	.73	0.4	2.3	0.14	692	.94	32,420	346	211	36	2.1	1,020	7.5
Apr. 18, 190	--	87	25	94	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	700	.95	34,380	322	--	39	2.3	1,010	--
May 1, 4-8	--	--	--	84	26	87	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	672	.91	32,170	316	--	37	2.1	976	--
May 11-15, 18-20, 21-22, 25-28, 1953	17,730	--	--	83	23	86	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	678	.92	32,280	304	--	38	2.2	986	--
May 21-22,	17,580	--	--	83	27	88	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	670	.91	35,460	316	--	38	2.2	973	--
May 23-22,	19,570	--	--	82	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
June 1-5, 8-10, 15-19, 22-26, 28-30, 1953	14,790	--	--	85	24	80	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	658	.89	26,280	310	--	36	2.0	986	--
June 11-12, 15-19, 22-26, 28-30, 1953	15,430	--	--	82	26	86	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	660	.90	27,500	312	--	38	2.1	986	--
June 22-26, 28-30, 1953	14,740	--	--	83	22	84	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	651	.89	25,910	286	--	38	2.1	947	--
July 1-3, 6-10, 13-17, 20-24, 27-31, 1953	15,180	--	--	86	23	88	--	164	--	259	.66	.2	1.6	.16	642	.87	26,310	308	174	38	2.2	949	7.7
July 18-22,	15,760	13	.06	82	26	86	3.9	166	--	259	.66	.2	1.6	.16	637	.87	27,140	312	176	37	2.1	957	7.9
July 21-24,	16,910	--	--	87	23	88	--	168	--	259	.66	.2	1.6	.16	647	.88	29,540	311	175	38	2.2	985	7.8
Aug. 2, 4-5, 10-14, 17-20, 21-24, 28, 31, 1953	14,900	--	--	83	25	86	--	164	--	164	--	--	--	--	639	.87	25,710	309	176	38	2.1	951	7.7
Aug. 11-14, 17-20, 21-24, 28, 31, 1953	17,790	--	--	86	22	85	--	166	--	166	--	--	--	--	635	.86	30,500	306	170	38	2.1	946	7.8
Sept. 1-4, 8-10, 14-18, 19-21, 25-28, 30, 1953	18,510	--	--	86	22	84	--	164	--	164	--	--	--	--	640	.87	28,980	308	172	38	2.1	953	7.8
Sept. 11, 14-18, 19-21, 25-28, 30, 1953	19,470	--	--	86	21	84	--	164	--	164	--	--	--	--	634	.86	31,680	306	172	37	2.1	941	8.0
Sept. 21-25, 28, 30, 1953	15,980	--	--	84	23	80	--	164	--	164	--	--	--	--	630	.86	27,350	304	--	36	2.0	941	--
Weighted average	21,9050	--	--	83	23	82	--	164	--	164	--	--	--	--	632	0.86	32,510	302	--	37	2.1	938	--

a Represents 74 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

**COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued**

COLORADO RIVER BELOW HOOVER DAM, ARIZ.-NEV.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER NEAR TOPOCK, ARIZ.

LOCATION.--At gaging station, in Mohave Canyon, 3 miles downstream from Topock, 39.5 miles upstream from Parker Dam, and 49 miles downstream from Davis Dam.

DRAINAGE AREA.--1,172,300 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: July 1952 to September 1953.

REMARKS.--Recorder equipped with thermograph June 17, 1952.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	71	70	66	66	56	55	54	53	53	52	53	53	52	53	52	53	53	59	58	61	60	65	64	68	68	
2.....	72	71	66	65	57	56	54	53	53	52	53	52	53	52	53	52	59	59	61	60	65	64	69	69	71	
3.....	72	71	65	63	57	56	54	53	53	52	53	52	53	52	53	52	59	59	61	60	65	65	69	69	71	
4.....	71	70	64	63	56	55	54	53	53	52	53	52	53	52	53	52	59	59	61	60	66	65	70	69	72	
5.....	70	69	65	64	56	56	54	53	53	52	53	52	53	52	53	52	59	59	61	60	66	66	68	68	72	
6.....	70	70	65	64	56	55	53	52	54	53	54	53	52	54	53	54	53	61	60	64	63	66	65	70	68	72
7.....	70	70	65	64	56	55	53	52	55	54	55	54	53	52	54	53	55	54	60	58	64	64	66	66	70	69
8.....	71	70	64	64	55	55	54	54	55	54	55	54	53	54	53	54	55	57	57	64	63	63	66	66	71	72
9.....	71	70	69	65	62	56	55	54	54	53	56	55	54	53	55	54	57	56	63	61	65	64	69	69	71	71
10.....	70	69	62	61	56	56	54	54	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	56	55	57	62	61	65	64	69	70	68	72
11.....	68	68	63	62	56	55	55	54	54	53	55	54	54	53	55	54	57	56	63	62	65	65	73	72	70	74
12.....	68	63	63	63	55	56	54	54	54	53	55	54	54	53	54	53	58	57	63	62	66	65	73	71	74	73
13.....	69	68	63	62	56	56	54	54	53	52	54	54	53	52	54	53	59	58	64	63	66	65	73	71	73	71
14.....	69	69	63	62	56	56	54	54	53	52	55	54	53	52	54	53	60	59	64	63	67	66	73	72	70	70
15.....	69	68	62	61	56	56	54	54	53	52	55	54	53	52	53	52	55	55	61	60	63	62	68	67	75	73
16.....	69	68	61	60	56	56	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	56	55	61	61	63	67	66	73	71	70
17.....	69	68	61	60	56	56	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	56	55	61	60	63	67	66	73	71	70
18.....	68	68	61	60	56	56	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	61	64	63	67	66	73	71
19.....	68	68	60	59	56	56	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	61	64	63	67	66	73	71
20.....	68	68	60	59	56	56	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	61	64	63	67	66	73	71
21.....	68	67	60	59	56	56	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	61	63	63	67	67	72	70
22.....	68	67	59	57	55	55	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	60	63	63	68	68	71	70
23.....	68	67	57	56	55	55	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	60	63	63	68	68	71	70
24.....	68	67	56	55	54	54	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	60	63	63	68	68	71	70
25.....	67	67	56	55	54	54	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	60	63	63	68	68	71	70
26.....	67	67	56	55	54	54	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	60	63	63	68	68	71	70
27.....	67	67	56	55	54	54	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	53	57	56	61	60	63	63	68	68	71	70
28.....	67	66	55	54	53	53	52	52	52	51	56	55	54	53	52	52	--	--	58	57	61	60	63	63	67	67
29.....	67	66	55	54	53	53	52	52	52	51	56	55	54	53	52	52	--	--	57	56	61	60	63	63	67	66
30.....	67	66	55	54	53	53	52	52	52	51	56	55	54	53	52	52	--	--	57	56	61	60	63	63	67	66
31.....	67	66	--	--	54	53	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	52	--	--	57	56	61	60	63	63	67	66
Average .....	69	68	61	60	55	55	53	53	53	52	56	55	54	53	52	52	--	--	64	63	66	65	68	68	--	--

## GILA RIVER BASIN

## GILA RIVER AT KELVIN, ARIZ.

LOCATION.—Just above mouth of Mineral Creek and 1,200 feet upstream from gaging station at Kelvin, Pinal County, 17 miles downstream from San Pedro River, and 181 miles upstream from Ashurst-Fayden Dam.

DRAINAGE AREA.—18,011 square miles, of which 5,125 square miles are below Coolidge Dam.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,010 ppm July 1-7; minimum, 480 ppm July 13-20.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,330 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 174 ppm Aug. 26. Specific conductance: Maximum observed 2,790 micromhos June 12; minimum observed 649 micromhos July 16.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 98°F July 25. Aug. 20; minimum observed 40°F Dec. 25. Water temperatures: Maximum observed 98°F July 25. Aug. 20; minimum observed 40°F Dec. 25.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 2,010 ppm July 1-7; minimum, 343 ppm Aug. 26-28, 1951.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 1,330 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 174 ppm Aug. 26, 1953.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,330 ppm Sept. 21-30, 1953; minimum, 174 ppm Aug. 26, 1953.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 2,790 micromhos June 12; minimum observed 407 micromhos Jan. 20, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 98°F July 5. Aug. 20, 1953; minimum observed 41°F Dec. 15, 1950.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 98°F July 5. Aug. 20, 1953; minimum observed 41°F Dec. 15, 1950.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 98°F July 5. Aug. 20, 1953; minimum observed 41°F Dec. 15, 1950.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283. No appreciable inflow from Mineral Creek between sampling point and gaging station except during periods of heavy local rains.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^-$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)
													Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	
Oct. 1-10, 1952	90.8	28	103	34	200	244	242	260	1.2	1.9	990	1,35	243	397	197	52
Oct. 11-20	15.7	35	154	38	207	254	417	256	1.7	.8	1,230	1.67	52.1	540	45	4.4
Oct. 21-31	9.52	37	161	39	228	258	438	274	1.7	1.0	1,310	1.78	33.7	562	350	4.4
Nov. 1-10	15.5	34	157	38	234	257	424	278	1.9	1.0	1,290	1.75	54.0	54.8	337	4.3
Nov. 11-20	25.8	29	130	35	208	287	346	248	1.3	1.4	1,120	1.52	78.0	468	258	4.2
Nov. 21-30	17.9	37	140	37	192	277	379	210	1.3	3.8	1,140	1.55	55.0	502	274	3.7
Dec. 1-10	38.0	35	136	35	188	274	369	196	1.3	5.6	1,100	1.50	113	484	259	3.7
Dec. 11-20	59.1	36	138	40	238	276	368	280	1.3	4.8	1,250	1.70	199	509	283	4.6
Dec. 21-31	121	28	124	43	288	275	272	422	1.3	4.0	1,320	1.80	431	486	261	5.7
Jan. 1-11, 1953	46.7	33	145	35	208	264	397	246	1.5	1.3	1,200	1.63	158	506	290	4.0
Jan. 12-20	83.4	28	128	40	304	262	290	452	1.2	2.1	1,370	1.86	308	484	210	4.1
Jan. 21-31	81.1	27	124	40	288	261	282	440	1.2	1.3	1,340	1.82	293	474	260	3.8
Feb. 1-10	71.6	28	123	37	266	253	291	333	1.5	1.9	1,250	1.70	242	459	252	5.4
Feb. 11-20	66.4	29	130	37	268	249	317	382	1.5	1.4	1,290	1.75	231	476	255	5.3
Feb. 21-28	76.6	26	120	37	268	275	280	390	1.4	1.3	1,240	1.69	256	452	256	5.5
Mar. 1-10	322	31	123	32	196	244	316	242	1.8	1.4	1,060	1.44	950	438	238	4.1
Mar. 11-20	136	29	110	33	252	230	237	386	1.6	2.0	1,150	1.56	422	410	205	5.4
Mar. 21-30	234	30	96	29	244	238	288	364	1.6	1.9	1,070	1.46	676	358	164	5.6
															60	5.6

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

GILA RIVER AT KELVIN, ARIZ.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)												Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent soluble-sodium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH			
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron ( $\text{B}$ )	Parts per million acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million acre-foot	Non-carbonate sodium			
Mar. 31-Apr. 10, 1943	199	35	91	29	214	238	172	321	1.6	1.3	982	1.34	528	346	1.51	57	5.0	1,690	7.7	
Mar. 31-Apr. 10, 1943	123	33	89	30	230	227	189	338	1.5	1.3	1,020	1.39	346	160	59	5.4	1,760	7.9		
Mar. 31-Apr. 10, 1943	108	33	94	32	252	216	202	368	1.4	1.2	1,080	1.48	318	189	60	5.7	1,760	7.9		
Mar. 31-Apr. 10, 1943	84.6	31	102	34	272	221	228	414	1.4	1.6	1,180	1.62	272	394	214	60	2,040	8.0		
Mar. 31-Apr. 10, 1943	80.5	33	106	35	300	225	240	458	1.4	1.2	1,200	1.75	280	326	61	6.4	1,910	8.0		
Mar. 31-Apr. 10, 1943	91.7	26	110	40	341	226	257	520	1.5	1.8	1,440	1.92	349	439	254	63	7.1	2,410	7.7	
June 1-10, 1943	101	23	130	50	376	216	304	590	1.5	2.2	1,580	2.15	431	530	353	61	7.1	2,610	7.3	
June 1-10, 1943	41.0	23	146	51	371	215	375	560	1.5	1.4	1,680	2.22	180	574	388	58	7.0	2,680	7.3	
June 1-10, 1943	2.44	40	212	63	265	247	593	380	1.2	2.1	1,680	2.28	11.1	788	586	42	4.1	2,480	7.3	
June 1-10, 1943	3.60	45	356	90	149	282	1,050	175	1.7	1.5	2,010	2.73	1,020	1,260	20	1.8	5.10	7.4		
July 1-7, 1943	62.4	37	113	22	68	338	190	33	1.9	1.0	631	1.86	1,060	1,372	95	28	1.5	948	7.3	
July 1-7, 1943	35	88	19	59	382	49	41	49	1.7	3	480	1.65	367	298	0	30	1.5	775	7.3	
July 1-7, 1943	283	35	88	19	59	382	49	41	49	1.7	3	480	1.65	367	298	0	30	1.5	775	7.3
July 1-7, 1943	283	35	88	19	59	382	49	41	49	1.7	3	480	1.65	367	298	0	30	1.5	775	7.3
July 1-7, 1943	54.8	35	80	18	66	291	106	52	1.8	1.2	498	1.76	431	274	43	34	1.7	763	7.3	
July 1-7, 1943	54.8	35	80	18	66	291	106	52	1.8	1.2	498	1.76	431	274	43	34	1.7	763	7.3	
July 1-7, 1943	240	29	114	25	157	233	214	210	1.7	2.1	876	1.49	568	388	180	47	3.5	1,420	7.2	
July 1-7, 1943	240	29	114	25	157	233	214	210	1.7	2.1	876	1.49	568	388	180	47	3.5	1,420	7.2	
July 1-7, 1943	119	32	104	24	102	341	158	106	1.0	1.5	686	1.95	224	368	78	38	2.3	1,120	7.7	
July 1-7, 1943	166	28	84	21	122	185	286	112	6.8	9.56	1.30	428	296	122	63	5.8	1,620	7.6		
July 1-7, 1943	188	28	73	19	195	200	177	230	1.2	1.2	826	1.12	419	260	96	62	5.3	1,390	7.6	
July 1-7, 1943	146	52	77	18	184	241	165	214	1.0	2.5	832	1.13	328	266	68	60	4.9	1,380	7.7	
July 1-7, 1943	220	47	48	13	102	264	53	92	1.7	1.7	487	1.66	286	174	0	56	3.4	753	7.8	
July 1-7, 1943	18.4	77	105	96	219	240	323	264	1.2	1.7	1,140	1.55	56.6	410	214	54	4.7	1,780	7.9	
July 1-7, 1943	18.4	77	105	96	219	240	323	264	1.2	1.7	1,140	1.55	56.6	410	214	54	4.7	1,780	7.9	
July 1-7, 1943	2.37	53	164	254	298	315	222	112	1.7	1.8	1,680	2.22	10.4	909	698	28	2.3	2,240	7.8	
July 1-7, 1943	2.37	53	164	254	298	315	222	112	1.7	1.8	1,680	2.22	10.4	909	698	28	2.3	2,240	7.8	
July 1-7, 1943	41	376	67	112	312	1,110	110	6	.5	1.1	1,980	2.11	1,050	1,300	16	16	3.3	2,300	7.8	
Weighted average..	105	32	108	30	204	260	229	275	1.3	2.0	1,010	1.37	286	393	180	53	4.5	1,660	--	

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GILA RIVER AT KELVIN, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 /Once-daily measurement, generally after 4 p.m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	80	--	60	b 62	53	54	--	b 78	--	a 92	86	73
2	80	a 61	b 59	57	62	54	70	69	81	86	90	77
3	83	b 72	53	60	68	59	72	--	b 81	--	93	81
4	82	64	55	52	59	60	68	74	--	76	88	84
5	77	74	b 53	52	--	62	69	78	a 76	--	b 90	92
6	77	75	b 57	b 52	52	66	71	b 76	a 78	74	91	b 96
7	72	a 64	56	b 54	b 62	68	70	a 78	80	77	--	84
8	82	b 63	54	60	59	--	70	75	a 80	a 80	91	85
9	84	b 59	60	60	64	69	70	b 74	a 81	b 81	89	b 90
10	80	b 69	b 51	b 61	60	70	62	74	a 78	b 84	b 92	b 92
11	78	a 60	55	61	57	68	66	--	a 82	91	92	b 93
12	72	a 59	60	57	58	--	--	b 78	a 78	92	84	b 92
13	70	65	b 62	57	56	66	68	b 79	a 78	b 86	--	85
14	75	70	b 61	56	52	--	71	--	a 80	b 91	91	91
15	74	b 63	55	55	53	b 62	75	b 70	a 86	89	89	78
16	80	56	54	b 57	b 64	60	71	b 70	b 89	86	b 90	77
17	--	56	56	56	60	67	71	74	a 92	84	b 92	75
18	79	50	55	--	52	70	75	--	a 92	86	96	72
19	76	b 62	54	60	52	69	70	b 83	74	b 89	96	74
20	74	62	b 55	60	53	66	78	b 84	80	89	b 98	74
21	75	62	b 52	51	52	66	71	80	79	89	90	78
22	--	63	50	54	54	60	67	b 88	b 92	92	91	81
23	73	58	50	--	56	67	72	79	a 90	85	93	75
24	73	59	52	58	54	70	78	81	a 93	b 95	91	73
25	b 78	51	48	--	62	70	78	--	77	b 98	b 93	b 83
26	77	60	50	55	56	a 72	79	a 71	a 89	89	b 86	--
27	77	b 60	50	59	--	70	75	b 73	70	88	85	78
28	70	56	b 55	57	54	69	b 72	76	a 82	89	--	b 86
29	72	b 60	52	58	--	64	b 78	82	74	88	87	81
30	69	53	52	57	--	65	72	a 66	78	79	76	--
31	b 75	--	b 54	--	--	67	--	77	--	88	88	--
Aver-	age	76	62	55	57	57	65	72	76	82	87	90
												82

a Reading obtained between 8 a.m. and 12 m.

b Reading obtained between 12 m. and 4 p.m.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SALT RIVER AT STEWART MOUNTAIN DAM, ARIZ.

LOCATION.--Just below dam, 3½ miles above gaging station below Stewart Mountain Dam, which is 6 miles upstream from Verde River, Maricopa County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--6,208 square miles, approximately (revised).  
RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses, December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 562 ppm Oct. 11-20; minimum, 361 ppm Mar. 21-31.

Hardness: Maximum, 194 ppm Oct. 11-20; minimum, 13 ppm Apr. 1-10.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 1,080 micromhos Oct. 16; minimum observed, 620 micromhos Mar. 28.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 75°F Oct. 1-3, 12; minimum observed, 53°F Mar. 7.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 1,300 ppm Aug. 21-28, 1952; minimum, 138 ppm Apr. 1-10, 1953.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 2,990 micromhos Aug. 20, 1951; minimum observed, 620 micromhos Mar. 28, 1953.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 84°F Aug. 24, 1951; minimum observed, 49°F Feb. 14, 1951.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for gaging station below Stewart Mountain Dam for water October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283. No inflow between sampling point and gaging station except during periods of heavy local rains.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Non-carbonate magnesium	Percent sodium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH
														Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day					
Oct. 1-10, 1952	173	27	52	14	119	180	50	172	53	176	4.7	582	0.74	547	187	40	58	3.8	936	7.6	
Oct. 11-20	20.0	30	56	14	130	204	53	146	46	146	3.4	466	0.63	5.80	194	28	59	3.4	810	7.7	
Oct. 21-31	4.61	20	46	12	101	158	48	144	48	144	3.9	472	0.64	71	165	34	57	3.4	815	7.6	
Nov. 1	9-10 <sup>a</sup>	56	21	48	11	101	160	48	154	48	144	3.4	466	0.63	53	160	34	58	3.5	806	7.6
Nov. 11	16-20 <sup>a</sup>	56	19	46	11	101	154	48	142	4.0	465	0.63	2.36	167	38	56	3.3	804	7.6		
Nov. 21, 23-30 <sup>a</sup>	1.65	18	47	12	98	158	48	144	48	142	4.0	465	0.63	2.36	167	38	56	3.3	804	7.6	
Dec. 1-3 <sup>a</sup>	.13	21	47	12	96	157	49	140	49	140	2.9	462	0.63	1.62	167	38	56	3.2	808	7.6	
Feb. 11-20, 1953	513	15	44	11	89	147	44	131	42	125	1.1	408	0.55	369	155	34	56	3.1	746	7.6	
Feb. 21-28	335	18	42	11	86	147	42	125	42	122	1.2	401	0.55	313	152	36	54	3.0	720	7.7	
Mar. 1-10	289	16	43	11	84	143	42	122	42	122	1.2	402	0.55	1,990	148	33	54	3.0	663	7.7	
Mar. 11-20	1,005	17	43	11	81	141	42	118	42	118	1.1	402	0.55	1,990	148	33	54	2.9	663	7.7	
Mar. 21-31	1,554	16	40	9.7	73	136	39	105	1.1	361	0.49	1,510	0.40	140	28	53	2.7	634	7.6		
Dec. 1-10, 1952	.13	21	47	12	96	157	49	140	49	140	2.9	462	0.63	1.62	167	38	56	3.2	808	7.6	
Apr. 1-10	3,067	17	39	10	76	140	36	113	.9	113	.9	376	5.1	1,330	138	24	54	2.8	658	7.5	
Apr. 11-20	966	19	44	11	80	149	39	114	.6	115	.6	379	5.2	988	155	33	53	2.8	679	7.7	
Apr. 21-30	758	21	44	11	79	149	39	114	.8	115	.8	382	5.2	782	155	33	53	2.8	671	7.7	
May 1-10	646	16	40	11	77	142	37	112	1.0	112	1.0	376	5.1	656	145	28	54	2.8	668	7.9	
May 11-20	631	17	40	11	77	141	38	112	1.0	112	1.0	376	5.1	641	145	30	54	2.8	668	7.9	
May 21-31	1,008	16	41	11	79	143	37	118	1.1	143	1.1	382	5.2	1,040	148	30	54	2.8	661	8.0	
June 1-10	1,198	17	41	11	83	146	37	122	.8	122	.8	394	5.4	1,270	148	28	56	3.0	702	8.2	
June 11-20	1,628	16	42	11	86	144	38	128	.7	128	.7	398	5.4	1,750	150	32	55	3.1	716	8.2	
June 21-30	1,646	17	41	11	90	144	38	134	.7	148	.7	414	5.6	1,840	148	30	57	3.2	734	8.2	
July 1-10	1,632	15	41	11	91	149	38	136	.6	149	.6	415	5.6	1,830	148	26	57	3.3	740	8.2	

a No flow Nov. 2-8, 12-15, 22, Dec. 4 to Feb. 10.

July 11-20, 1953.....	1,298	20	42	12	92	150	38	137	.5	416	.57	1,460	154	32	56	3.2	752	7.7
July 21-31.....	1,557	18	41	11	91	150	38	136	.8	414	.56	1,740	148	24	57	3.3	744	7.7
Aug. 1-12.....	1,643	21	42	11	94	154	38	137	.6	424	.58	1,890	150	24	58	3.3	754	7.7
Aug. 1-13-20.....	1,600	18	42	11	94	148	35	138	1.0	425	.68	1,840	150	28	58	3.3	752	7.6
Aug. 21-31.....	1,485	17	42	11	96	149	37	138	.5	418	.57	1,680	150	28	58	3.4	752	7.6
Sept. 1-10.....	1,545	17	42	12	92	149	37	140	.7	419	.57	1,750	154	32	56	3.2	752	7.2
Sept. 11-20.....	1,374	19	41	12	94	150	38	142	.9	431	.59	1,600	152	29	57	3.4	759	7.3
Sept. 21-30.....	1,097	16	40	12	96	139	41	146	1.3	428	.58	1,270	150	36	58	3.4	767	7.3
Weighted average <sup>b</sup>	965	18	42	11	87	146	38	129	0.9	406	0.55	1,060	150	30	56	3.1	721	--

b Average for 284 days of flow.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SALT RIVER AT STEWART MOUNTAIN DAM, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
*(Once-daily measurement, generally between 8:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m.)*

No flow on most days when no temperature is shown.

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	75	66	56		--	60	56	58	61	66	--	72
2	75	--	56		--	58	56	60	61	67	--	71
3	75	--	54		--	58	56	60	62	67	--	71
4	69	--	--		--	58	57	61	62	68	--	71
5	--	--	--		--	58	57	61	62	68	--	68
6	--	--	--		--	58	56	61	61	68	--	69
7	--	--	--		--	53	58	61	61	68	--	69
8	--	--	--		--	54	57	61	61	68	69	69
9	--	65			--	54	56	60	61	68	69	69
10	--	66			--	--	56	61	62	69	70	69
11	74	65	--		57	54	56	61	63	67	69	69
12	75	--	--		57	55	56	61	64	68	70	68
13	72	--	--		56	55	56	61	63	67	69	68
14	69	--	--		56	55	56	60	64	67	70	68
15	68	--	--		56	55	56	60	63	68	70	68
16	68	64	--		55	55	55	60	63	67	70	68
17	68	64	--		55	55	56	60	63	67	70	68
18	68	64	--		55	55	56	63	63	67	71	69
19	68	a 63	--		55	55	57	64	64	67	71	69
20	68	63	--		54	55	--	60	63	67	71	69
21	68	63	--		54	54	57	60	63	67	71	71
22	69	--	--		54	54	57	60	64	66	72	71
23	67	60	--		54	55	57	60	64	66	72	70
24	67	60	--		54	55	57	60	65	66	71	70
25	67	58	--		54	55	56	60	65	68	71	70
26	67	62	--		54	55	58	60	65	68	71	70
27	66	60	--		54	55	58	60	67	68	71	70
28	66	54	--		60	58	58	60	67	68	71	70
29	66	54	--		--	58	58	60	67	68	71	70
30	66	56	--		--	58	58	61	67	68	71	70
31	65	--	--		--	56	--	61	--	68	70	--
Aver-	69	62	55		55	56	57	61	63	67	--	69

a Reading obtained at 11 a.m.

## GILA RIVER BASIN—Continued

## VERDE RIVER BELOW BARTLETT DAM, Maricopa County, and 3½ miles upstream from Camp Creek.

LOCATION.—At gauging station 2½ miles downstream from Bartlett Dam, Maricopa County, and 3½ miles upstream from Camp Creek.  
DRAINAGE AREA.—6,188 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to January 1953.

EXTRIMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 400 ppm Mar. 11-20; minimum, 265 ppm Sept. 1-10.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 635 micromhos July 21; minimum observed 401 micromhos Sept. 7.

Hardness: Maximum observed 84° F. July 24; minimum observed 42° F. Feb. 22.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 84° F. July 24; minimum observed 42° F. Feb. 22.

EXTRIMES, 1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 450 ppm July 11-20, 1951; minimum, 158 ppm Jan. 11-20, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 285 ppm Mar. 11-20, 1953; minimum, 108 ppm Jan. 11-20, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed 725 micromhos June 25, 1951; minimum observed 234 micromhos Jan. 13, 15, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed 90° F. July 18, Aug. 14, 1951; minimum observed 41° F. Jan. 30, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1233.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	So- dium (Na)	Po- tas- si- um (K)	Bicar- bonate (HC <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	Car- bo- nate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Flu- o- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180° C.)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non- carbon- ate min- er- al	Per- cent so- dium	Specific conduc- tance (micro- mhos at 25° C.)
															Parts per mil- lion	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per mil- lion				
Oct. 1-10, 1952	755	18	40	25	28	213	0	60	20	2.8	307	0.42	626	203	28	23	0.9	497	7.9	533	--
Oct. 11-20	510	17	40	26	31	212	8	64	22	1.2	324	.44	446	215	28	24	.9	533	--	547	7.6
Oct. 21-31	559	16	40	26	32	224	0	67	24	1.2	328	.45	495	219	38	24	.9	552	8.0	552	--
Nov. 1-10	311	17	41	30	34	233	0	68	15	1.5	337	.46	283	226	35	25	1.0	552	--	552	--
Nov. 11-20	195	17	40	29	33	234	6	70	23	1.6	336	.46	177	219	28	25	1.0	549	--	542	--
Nov. 21-30	162	17	41	28	33	230	5	71	24	1.3	333	.45	137	219	29	25	1.0	542	--	542	--
Dec. 1-10, 1952	164	17	41	26	34	234	0	68	24	1.6	339	.46	150	218	26	25	1.0	554	7.9	554	8.0
Dec. 11-20	363	15	42	29	34	236	0	70	23	1.6	338	.46	331	224	30	25	1.0	554	8.0	558	7.9
Dec. 21-31	418	18	43	29	36	234	0	70	25	2.8	332	.47	388	226	28	28	1.0	562	7.9	562	--
Jan. 1-10, 1953	196	22	59	34	36	304	0	68	26	4.0	395	.54	209	280	30	22	.9	642	7.9	632	7.9
Jan. 11-20	406	23	56	33	33	300	0	64	23	2.1	372	.51	408	275	29	21	.9	632	7.9	632	7.9
Jan. 21-31	503	22	50	31	29	281	0	57	20	.9	353	.48	479	252	22	20	.8	574	7.9	574	--
Feb. 1-10	463	23	51	30	28	269	5	53	20	.5	338	.46	422	250	22	20	.8	580	--	579	--
Feb. 11-20	144	21	52	32	29	272	8	58	20	1.5	351	.46	136	281	25	19	.8	622	8.0	622	8.0
Feb. 21-28	36.0	25	52	33	34	286	0	64	22	1.5	402	.55	34.5	275	29	24	1.0	653	7.9	653	7.9
Mar. 1-10	31.8	26	51	36	39	300	0	76	26	1.5	387	.54	30.7	285	34	22	1.0	653	8.0	653	8.0
Mar. 11-20	28.6	21	54	34	35	307	0	76	25	1.4	383	.53	466	274	30	22	.9	639	8.0	639	--
Mar. 21-31	446	22	52	35	33	288	6	68	24	1.0	384	.52	215	274	28	21	.9	633	--	633	--
Apr. 1-10	207	22	52	34	33	282	5	66	24	1.8	381	.52	129	270	22	21	.9	626	--	626	--
Apr. 11-20	125	23	52	34	33	289	5	67	24	1.2	382	.52	274	274	28	21	.9	630	--	630	--
Apr. 21-30	118	23	52	34	33	289	5	67	24	1.2	382	.52	274	274	28	21	.9	630	--	630	--

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VERDE RIVER BELOW BARTLETT DAM, ARIZ. --Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 80°C)												Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	pH					
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Po- tas- sium (Na)	Sa- lum- num (Mg)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Car- bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Flu- oride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per- cent so- dium		
May 1-10, 1953 .....	118	27	52	34	34	34	283	8	67	24	0.9	387	0.53	123	24	22	0.9	632	--	
May 11-20 .....	109	21	51	34	32	32	283	7	67	24	.9	379	.52	112	24	21	.9	619	--	
May 21-31 .....	102	22	50	34	33	33	282	7	68	24	.8	377	.51	104	22	21	.9	621	--	
June 1-10 .....	93.9	25	49	34	35	35	291	0	69	25	.9	380	.52	96.3	24	22	.9	630	7.9	
June 11-20 .....	90.5	26	48	35	36	36	290	0	69	25	1.8	380	.52	313	26	23	1.0	629	7.9	
June 21-30 .....	78.3	24	48	35	39	39	291	0	73	27	1.5	388	.53	820	26	24	1.0	647	7.8	
July 1-10 .....	60.5	24	44	37	42	3.4	286	0	79	30	1.0	400	.54	653	26	21	1.1	656	8.0	
July 11-20 .....	45.6	24	42	39	46	3.6	284	0	88	30	1.1	408	.55	504	33	27	1.2	677	8.0	
July 21-31 .....	26.3	26	42	37	47	--	274	0	87	31	1.0	410	.56	291	32	28	1.3	665	8.0	
Aug. 1-10 .....	44.3	26	43	28	35	--	242	0	70	22	1.4	343	.47	410	222	24	1.0	557	7.4	
Aug. 11-20 .....	869	26	42	28	35	--	240	0	68	22	1.0	339	.46	795	220	24	1.0	546	7.4	
Aug. 21-31 .....	471	27	38	30	38	--	241	0	72	24	1.6	348	.47	443	216	27	1.1	565	7.5	
Sept. 1-10 .....	412	24	37	21	23	--	203	0	43	14	2.3	265	.36	295	179	12	22	430	7.5	
Sept. 11-20 .....	227	24	42	24	28	--	236	0	51	18	1.6	308	.42	169	204	10	.9	494	7.6	
Sept. 21-30 .....	120	38	40	30	39	--	247	0	67	24	.5	363	.49	118	224	21	1.1	562	7.8	
Weighted average ...	321	22	45	31	34	--	259	0	67	24	1.5	354	0.45	307	240	28	24	1.0	580	--

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## VERDE RIVER BELOW BARTLETT DAM, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 /Once-daily measurement, generally taken between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	76	66	54	47	50	49	53	55	61	69	83	80	
2	79	66	54	--	51	52	52	53	60	70	82	80	
3	76	64	52	50	51	51	52	53	60	70	82	80	
4	73	65	50	50	51	49	52	54	60	70	83	80	
5	73	64	48	46	49	50	53	53	60	71	83	79	
6	74	66	45	47	49	46	51	53	60	72	83	79	
7	74	60	48	46	48	47	52	55	60	72	83	79	
8	73	b 65	--	50	48	53	52	55	61	--	81	79	
9	72	60	45	51	48	53	53	57	61	78	81	79	
10	70	64	45	51	48	52	53	--	61	77	80	79	
11	69	60	50	52	48	51	53	56	62	79	82	78	
12	65	60	50	53	--	50	53	56	63	79	82	78	
13	60	60	52	48	50	50	--	56	63	78	82	78	
14	68	59	53	47	50	50	--	56	64	81	83	77	
15	65	61	53	50	50	--	53	56	--	80	82	76	
16	75	59	52	49	50	52	52	57	65	80	82	77	
17	75	58	52	--	50	52	52	58	65	80	82	78	
18	70	59	52	--	50	53	52	59	65	81	82	78	
19	72	59	48	--	48	53	52	59	64	82	82	77	
20	a 74	60	48	48	49	57	--	59	65	83	82	76	
21	70	60	46	50	46	51	54	60	65	83	81	77	
22	72	b 61	46	49	42	50	53	60	66	83	80	77	
23	70	59	46	50	43	50	53	60	67	83	80	77	
24	70	58	45	49	45	51	53	60	67	84	80	76	
25	70	50	46	50	48	53	54	59	67	82	81	77	
26	70	50	47	49	48	52	56	59	68	81	80	77	
27	--	52	48	48	48	51	55	59	66	81	81	77	
28	68	51	48	50	49	53	55	59	66	80	80	77	
29	69	51	48	52	--	53	55	59	67	81	81	77	
30	a 68	55	49	51	--	53	54	59	68	82	80	77	
31	67	--	48	50	--	53	--	59	--	82	79	--	
Aver-		71	59	49	49	48	51	53	57	64	78	81	78
age													

a Reading obtained between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.

b Reading obtained between 10 a.m. and 11 a.m.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## AGUA FRIA RIVER BELOW LAKE PLEASANT DAM, ARIZ.

**LOCATION.**--At water stage recorder on canal 1 $\frac{1}{4}$  miles downstream from Lake Pleasant Dam on Agua Fria River, 19 miles north of Marquette, Maricopa County and 23 miles upstream from New River.

**DRAINAGE AREA.**--1,460 square miles, approximately (above Lake Pleasant Dam).

**RECORDS AVAILABLE.**--Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

**EXTREMES.**--1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 297 ppm Sept. 11-18; minimum, 128 ppm Nov. 7, 14, 21, 28.

Harness: Maximum, 132 ppm Sept. 11-18; minimum, 11-18.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 500 micromhos Sept. 13; minimum observed, 316 micromhos Oct. 8.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 75°F Sept. 17; minimum observed, not determined.

**EXTREMES.**--1951-53.--Dissolved Solids: Maximum, 297 ppm Sept. 11-18, 1953; minimum, 168 ppm Jan. 29-Feb. 10, 1952.

Harness: Maximum, 132 ppm Sept. 11-18, 1953; minimum, 108 ppm June 21-30, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 500 micromhos Sept. 13, 1953; minimum observed, 241 micromhos Jan. 29, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 75°F Sept. 17, 1953; minimum observed, 41°F on several days during January and February 1952.

**REMARKS.**--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Values shown as extremes relate to canal samples only. Samples collected from canal when there was flow otherwise from Lake Pleasant at headgates. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Records of discharge furnished by Maricopa Water District through Surface Water Branch Tucson District for water year October 1952 to September 1953. Monthly diversions to canal below Lake Pleasant diversion dam are published as Agua Fria River at Lake Pleasant Dam in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Chloride ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Non-carbonate Calcium, magnesium	Percent softening	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or	
													Tons per acre-foot	Tons per million	Tons per day						
Oct. 1-12, 1952...	24.3	30	--	39	11	16	--	175	--	12	3.9	--	223	0.30	14.6	142	0	20	0.6	342	7.3
Oct. 17, 24, 31...	--	--	--	34	11	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	194	.26	--	130	--	23	.7	328	--
Nov. 7, 14, 21, 28	--	--	--	35	10	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	196	.26	--	128	--	21	.6	323	--
Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26	--	--	--	37	11	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	190	.26	--	138	--	20	.6	322	--
Jan. 12-26, 1953;	17.5	--	--	38	11	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	190	.26	8.98	140	--	20	.6	330	--
Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27,	Mar. 6...	--	--	39	12	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	198	.27	--	147	--	19	.6	342	--
Mar. 11-20...	79.6	6.7	38	13	17	--	--	170	31	13	7	217	.30	46.6	148	9	20	.6	364	7.3	
Mar. 21-31...	90.5	5.7	38	12	17	--	--	171	30	12	1.0	212	.29	51.8	144	4	20	.6	358	7.4	
Apr. 1-10, 1953...	76.2	6.9	38	12	17	--	--	173	30	12	.6	212	.29	43.6	144	2	20	.6	356	7.6	
Apr. 11-21...	33.5	6.1	40	12	18	--	--	178	30	14	1.5	221	.30	20.0	150	4	21	.6	375	7.5	
Apr. 24, May 1, 8,	15, 22	--	--	40	12	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	209	.28	40.3	165	--	23	.7	368	--
May 23-31...	--	--	--	40	12	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	249	.34	40.3	165	5	23	.8	418	8.0
June 1-10...	60.0	10	--	43	14	23	--	195	32	17	0.3	20.8	.30	61.1	154	8	20	.6	376	8.0	
June 11-20...	102	6.9	40	13	18	4.4	178	28	14	2.8	222	.29	97.4	147	4	20	.6	367	8.1		
June 21-30...	167	6.0	39	12	18	4.3	174	28	12	2.5	216	.30	155	9	20	.6	372	7.2			
June 21-30...	271	8.5	39	14	18	--	--	178	26	15	--	218	.30	160	155	9	20	.6	372	7.2	

July 1-10, 1953....	303	12	40	13	17	--	183	25	14	20	224	.30	183	154	4	19	.6	374	7.5
July 11-20.....	268	11	40	13	18	--	166	26	13	17	224	.30	132	154	1	20	.6	378	7.5
July 21-31.....	242	7.5	42	13	16	--	167	25	14	1.8	224	.30	146	154	0	20	.6	363	7.5
Aug. 1-10.....	243	11	42	13	21	--	198	26	15	2.2	232	.32	152	168	0	22	.7	392	7.5
Aug. 11-20.....	217	14	43	13	22	--	204	27	15	2.2	239	.33	140	161	0	23	.8	402	7.5
Aug. 21-31.....	209	14	43	13	23	--	203	28	16	2.4	244	.33	137	161	0	24	.8	408	7.5
Sept. 1-10.....	107	12	44	15	24	--	205	33	18	2.1	254	.35	73.4	172	4	23	.8	428	7.6
Sept. 11-18.....	64.8	22	49	17	29	--	242	32	22	1.0	297	.40	52.0	102	0	25	.9	494	7.7
Sept. 19-26.....	--	--	42	14	24	--	--	--	--	245	.33	--	162	--	24	.8	416	--	
Weighted average	a 137	10	41	13	19	--	169	27	14	2.0	228	0.31	84.3	156	1	21	0.7	385	--

a Average for 188 days of flow.

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## AGUA FRIA RIVER BELOW LAKE PLEASANT DAM, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
*(Once-daily measurement generally taken at 7:30 p.m.)*

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	--	--	--	--	--	--	56	65	64	63	68	73
2	--	--	--	--	--	--	57	--	63	63	69	73
3	--	--	--	--	--	--	57	--	64	62	69	74
4	--	--	--	--	--	--	57	--	--	62	69	74
5	--	--	56	--	--	--	57	--	63	62	69	74
6	--	--	--	--	53	58	58	--	64	63	70	74
7	--	68	--	--	--	--	58	--	63	64	70	76
8	--	--	--	--	--	--	58	67	63	64	69	74
9	--	--	--	--	--	--	58	--	64	63	69	77
10	--	--	--	--	--	--	58	--	65	65	70	77
11	--	--	--	--	--	58	58	--	64	65	70	77
12	--	--	54	--	--	58	58	--	60	65	70	77
13	--	--	--	--	51	58	56	--	65	65	70	78
14	--	63	--	--	--	57	58	--	65	65	72	78
15	--	--	--	--	--	56	59	68	64	65	--	78
16	--	--	--	52	--	56	60	--	64	68	72	78
17	72	--	--	--	--	55	60	--	64	68	72	79
18	--	--	--	--	--	55	60	--	62	70	72	--
19	--	--	54	--	--	55	60	--	63	68	72	--
20	--	--	--	--	50	55	61	--	64	68	72	--
21	--	61	--	--	--	55	--	--	63	68	72	--
22	--	--	--	--	--	55	--	69	63	68	72	--
23	--	--	--	52	--	55	--	--	63	68	72	--
24	72	--	--	--	--	54	63	62	63	68	72	--
25	--	--	--	--	--	57	--	63	63	68	72	77
26	--	--	54	--	--	57	--	65	63	68	72	--
27	--	--	--	--	56	58	--	65	63	68	72	--
28	--	60	--	--	--	57	--	65	63	68	72	--
29	--	--	--	--	--	56	--	63	62	69	73	--
30	--	--	--	--	--	56	--	64	63	69	73	--
31	70	--	--	--	--	57	--	64	--	68	73	--
Aver-	age	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	63	66	71	--

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GILA RIVER BELOW GILLESPIE DAM, ARIZ.

LOCATION.--About 1 mile below gaging station on Gila Bend Canal which is 200 feet below Gillespie Dam, Maricopa County, and 8 miles downstream from Hassayampa River. Gila Bend Canal diverts from left bank and Enterprise Canal diverts from right bank at Gillespie Dam.

DRAINAGE AREA.--49,620 square miles (revised).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 6,120 ppm Oct. 21-31; minimum, 486 ppm Nov. 21.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,650 ppm Jan. 1-10; minimum, 1,64 ppm Nov. 21.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 9,570 micromhos Oct. 12; minimum observed, 858 micromhos Nov. 21.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 89°F Aug. 3; minimum observed, 45°F Nov. 28.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 6,450 ppm Oct. 11-20, 1951; minimum, 2,622 ppm Sept. 1, 1951.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,940 ppm Oct. 11-20, 1951; minimum, 135 ppm Sept. 1, 1951.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 10,200 micromhos Oct. 3, 1951; minimum observed, 420 micromhos Sept. 1, 1951.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 95°F July 10, 1951; minimum observed, 35°F Jan. 1, 1951.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Samples from canal are believed to be representative of total flow passing Gillespie Dam, including split and amounts diverted into Gila Bend and Enterprise Canals. Records of separate and combined discharge for the river and canals for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953																						
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Po- tas- sium (K)	Car- bonate (RCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per mil- lion	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Ca- cium, mag- ne- sium	Non- carbo- nate so- dium	Per- cent so- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)
Oct. 1-10, 1952	25.3	30	0.01	360	11	1,500	11	330	0	1,240	2,310	2.4	41	2.7	5,830	7,93	398	1,590	1,320	67	16	9,220	7.6
Oct. 11-20	21.6	30	.01	284	170	1,600	11	350	0	1,290	2,410	2.4	38	3.6	6,110	8,31	356	1,860	1,370	68	17	9,350	7.6
Oct. 21-31	19.9	28	.01	376	170	1,600	11	350	0	1,290	2,440	2.4	31	3.6	6,120	8,32	329	1,860	1,380	68	17	9,450	7.5
Nov. 1-10	22.8	30	.00	376	171	1,560	11	352	0	1,280	2,380	2.4	40	3.1	6,020	8,19	371	1,840	1,350	67	17	9,270	7.6
Nov. 11-18	36.8	32	.01	372	168	1,500	11	356	0	1,230	2,300	2.4	42	3.2	5,830	7,93	579	1,620	1,330	67	16	9,020	7.6
Nov. 19-20	186	20	.01	49	17	170	11	4.2	173	1,190	1,95	1.2	8.3	.30	92	338	192	46	65	5,3	1,170	8.0	
Nov. 21	168	15	+	46	12	114	11	198	0	1,220	113	1.2	6.2	-	486	66	220	164	2	60	3.9	9,858	7.7
Nov. 22-30	80.3	29	.00	261	114	940	9.5	322	0	808	1,450	1.6	28	2.1	5,800	5,17	624	1,120	856	64	12	6,660	7.9
Dec. 1-10	59.3	36	.00	350	170	1,310	12	370	0	1,090	2,090	2.0	46	3.1	5,280	7,19	847	1,570	1,270	64	14	8,200	7.9
Dec. 11-20	50.2	33	.04	384	175	1,500	12	371	0	1,240	2,310	2.0	48	3.1	5,890	8,01	798	1,680	1,370	66	16	9,060	7.9
Dec. 21-31	63.3	30	.00	374	180	1,430	12	367	0	1,190	2,250	2.2	47	2.8	5,700	7,75	974	1,670	1,370	65	15	8,760	7.8
Jan. 1-10, 1953	59.1	32	.03	376	182	1,410	11	369	0	1,170	2,240	2.2	40	2.6	5,640	7,67	900	1,650	1,360	64	15	8,770	7.7
Jan. 11-20	50.3	31	.01	396	174	1,110	12	382	0	1,240	2,340	2.2	42	2.8	5,830	8,06	905	1,680	1,370	66	16	9,100	7.8
Jan. 21-31	57.0	32	.02	372	170	1,460	11	376	0	1,270	2,220	2.0	54	2.6	5,780	7,86	889	1,630	1,320	66	16	8,810	7.8
Feb. 1-10	59.4	36	.02	372	179	1,430	11	346	18	1,260	2,180	2.6	48	2.5	5,710	7,77	916	1,660	1,350	65	15	8,700	--
Feb. 11-20	56.3	36	.01	372	178	1,470	11	353	9	1,280	2,210	2.6	54	2.6	5,800	7,89	882	1,660	1,360	66	16	8,790	--
Feb. 21-28	56.0	35	.01	368	140	1,400	11	361	14	1,200	2,160	2.4	42	2.7	5,580	7,59	844	1,620	1,340	65	15	8,560	--
Mar. 1-10	68.3	31	.00	352	163	1,340	11	377	0	1,080	2,070	2.0	36	3.0	5,290	7,19	975	1,650	1,240	65	15	8,080	7.8
Mar. 11-20	58.1	31	.01	374	175	1,500	11	383	0	1,210	2,250	2.0	38	3.8	5,920	7,92	834	1,650	1,340	66	16	8,770	7.8
Mar. 21-31	52.6	32	.00	374	171	1,420	11	379	0	1,210	2,250	2.2	43	4.0	5,700	7.75	809	1,640	1,350	65	15	6,680	7.9

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GILA RIVER BELOW GILLESPIE DAM, ARIZ. --Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)												Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	pH								
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cali- chium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Po- tassium (K)	Car- bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Flu- oride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Tons per acres- foot	Tons per milli- on	Per- cent so- dium so- dium adsorp- tion ratio							
Apr. 1-10, 1953	44.0	32	0.05	374	166	1,350	11	392	0	1,180	2,180	2.2	43	3.3	5,570	7.58	662	1,620	1,280	65	15	8,490	7.8
Apr. 11-20	37.7	33	0.05	380	170	1,350	11	401	0	1,200	2,250	2.4	38	2.8	5,620	7.64	572	1,650	1,340	64	15	8,710	7.8
Apr. 21-30	37.1	31	0.05	388	170	1,450	11	401	0	1,220	2,250	2.4	37	3.0	5,760	7.83	577	1,670	1,340	65	15	8,790	7.7
May 1-10	36.6	34	0.03	368	170	1,450	12	393	0	1,220	2,160	2.4	37	3.2	5,770	7.65	570	1,620	1,300	66	16	8,730	7.7
May 11-20	41.5	32	0.01	352	163	1,350	11	370	0	1,150	2,130	2.4	40	1.41	5,580	7.41	611	1,550	1,340	66	15	8,380	7.7
May 21-31	37.7	30	.02	350	162	1,410	11	363	0	1,170	2,150	2.6	37	3.2	5,560	7.48	580	1,540	1,240	66	16	8,370	7.7
June 1-10	30.3	33	.02	350	164	1,420	13	350	0	1,190	2,220	2.4	30	2.4	5,590	7.60	437	1,550	1,260	66	16	8,910	7.5
June 11-20	24.2	30	.01	346	167	1,440	13	328	0	1,210	2,210	2.4	29	2.8	5,610	7.63	367	1,550	1,280	67	16	8,650	7.6
June 21-30	22.5	28	.09	336	158	1,440	12	315	0	1,210	2,180	2.6	30	3.1	5,560	7.56	338	1,490	1,230	68	16	8,560	7.7
July 1-11	26.2	29	.00	324	156	1,420	12	293	0	1,190	2,150	2.6	29	2.6	5,460	7.43	396	1,450	1,210	68	16	8,440	7.2
July 12-21	31.5	37	--	249	80	690	12	323	0	620	1,050	1.6	16	1.6	2,880	3.92	245	876	611	63	10	4,600	7.8
July 14-16	26.0	34	.01	324	144	1,270	13	325	0	1,080	1,986	2.4	35	2.6	5,020	6.83	332	1,400	1,130	66	15	7,850	7.9
July 17-21	55.2	28	.01	180	72	690	12	265	0	558	1,000	1.4	19	1.3	2,680	3.66	401	745	528	66	11	4,390	7.9
July 22-Aug. 1	38.7	33	.01	286	129	1,110	12	314	0	937	1,670	2.0	31	2.0	4,350	5.93	456	1,240	986	66	14	6,320	7.9
Aug. 2	89	28	--	150	37	274	11	258	0	760	450	--	7.6	83	1,360	1.85	327	993	762	62	11	2,300	--
Aug. 3-4	95.0	29	.01	248	91	770	12	281	0	1,140	1.30	3.0	3.0	1.94	3,250	4.38	304	1,440	1,190	66	15	5,070	--
Aug. 5-10	22.5	29	.00	324	154	1,280	13	311	0	1,130	1,960	2.2	35	1.9	5,080	6.91	309	1,420	1,170	67	15	7,880	7.8
Aug. 11-20	20.4	25	.01	330	144	1,330	12	304	0	1,130	2,050	2.2	32	3.2	5,200	7.07	266	1,500	1,200	67	15	7,970	7.6
Aug. 21-31	19.6	38	.00	316	142	1,280	12	304	0	1,120	1,980	2.4	33	3.2	5,080	6.91	269	1,370	1,120	67	15	7,780	7.7
Sept. 1-10	20.9	34	.00	318	144	1,310	11	284	0	1,140	1,990	2.4	37	3.5	5,130	6.98	1,390	1,150	67	15	7,950	7.7	
Sept. 11-20	20.3	45	.00	308	151	1,290	12	283	0	1,140	1,990	2.6	37	3.4	5,110	6.95	280	1,390	1,160	67	15	7,830	7.7
Sept. 21-30	13.9	39	.01	338	163	1,470	12	268	0	1,270	2,280	2.4	33	3.6	5,740	7.81	215	1,510	1,290	68	16	8,720	7.6
Weighted average...	40.9	32	0.01	339	156	1,320	11	349	--	1,110	2,040	2.2	38	2.8	5,220	7.10	576	1,490	1,200	66	15	8,030	--

## GILA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GILA RIVER BELOW GILLESPIE DAM, ARIZ.--Continued

Temperature ("F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 /Once-daily measurement generally taken between 6 a. m. and 10 a. m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	70	60	50	46	57	--	65	a 67	74	80	83	76
2	70	60	45	45	55	55	63	66	73	79	85	75
3	75	60	48	47	53	55	65	a 75	72	78	89	75
4	70	60	47	48	55	53	65	65	75	82	--	73
5	70	65	49	49	53	54	67	68	75	80	--	74
6	70	60	49	50	52	55	66	68	75	80	85	75
7	67	60	48	50	56	53	a 65	71	74	80	83	76
8	66	65	48	55	55	a 65	64	71	75	76	80	79
9	67	65	47	53	55	a 65	66	64	76	85	92	75
10	65	65	49	53	56	a 65	a 65	67	76	81	82	74
11	68	65	47	55	55	63	64	68	a 83	--	83	75
12	68	65	46	55	55	59	a 67	63	80	82	82	75
13	85	a 60	47	55	54	60	a 65	65	80	80	83	--
14	63	60	49	56	56	61	a 71	67	83	86	82	83
15	63	57	55	55	55	60	62	a 68	70	80	81	80
16	69	55	55	55	56	60	a 70	65	80	79	79	79
17	68	55	55	54	57	59	a 71	70	75	81	80	73
18	65	57	55	55	55	63	66	72	73	79	79	74
19	65	57	55	52	51	a 65	a 73	72	70	82	81	78
20	62	55	55	55	49	60	a 73	70	71	80	82	76
21	62	50	54	55	49	61	67	71	75	83	83	72
22	60	56	54	54	52	63	67	a 75	75	82	82	75
23	60	55	50	52	a 53	a 63	65	a 78	78	82	83	75
24	65	56	48	53	a 54	60	64	73	78	82	83	75
25	60	50	49	56	a 55	61	72	72	80	82	82	74
26	65	51	47	55	50	62	73	71	75	80	83	70
27	60	51	46	52	53	65	a 73	70	70	80	82	75
28	a 70	45	48	55	55	65	67	65	75	80	83	71
29	60	47	49	55	--	64	65	65	75	81	80	75
30	56	a 55	47	55	--	64	a 67	65	78	80	75	75
31	60	--	48	55	--	63	--	73	--	81	76	--
Average	65	57	50	53	54	61	67	69	76	81	82	75

a Reading obtained between 10 a. m. and 1 p. m.

## COLORADO RIVER BASIN

## COLORADO RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLORADO RIVER AT YUMA, ARIZ.

LOCATION.—At gaging station, 1,800 feet downstream from highway bridge at Yuma, Yuma County, half a mile upstream from Yuma Main Canal wasteway, 5 miles (revised) downstream from Gila River. 7 miles upstream from boundary between California and Mexico, and 19 miles downstream from Imperial Dam.

DRAINAGE AREA.—242,800 square miles, approximately including all closed basins entirely within the drainage boundary.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: September 1926 to September 1928, October 1942 to February 1943, June 1947 to July 1952, November 1952 to September 1953.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analysis, in parts per million, November 1952 to September 1953.

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sodium (Na)	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or
												Parts per million	Parts per million	Tons per acre- foot			
Nov. 7, 1952	12,300	78	25	82	165	235	67	1.3	569	0.77	16,900	296	162	37	2.0	911	7.8
Dec. 8	16,700	72	23	75	156	216	58	1.6	522	.71	23,540	274	146	37	2.0	848	7.7
Jan. 9, 1953	14,900	70	26	72	155	218	58	1.4	521	.71	20,960	282	154	36	1.9	824	7.8
Feb. 9	14,900	84	22	98	163	265	73	1.7	624	.85	25,100	300	166	42	2.5	977	7.8
Mar. 9	7,660	75	30	92	123	281	83	.1	621	.84	12,840	310	210	38	2.3	1,010	7.6
Apr. 7	4,480	92	31	105	186	285	89	.5	704	.96	8,520	357	204	39	2.4	1,110	7.6
May 11	3,500	86	30	106	159	283	95	0	688	.94	6,500	338	208	41	2.5	1,110	7.7
June 5	3,780	82	31	112	156	285	100	0	696	.95	7,100	332	205	42	2.7	1,120	7.8
July 7	7,340	76	29	105	137	289	88	1	654	.89	12,960	308	196	43	2.6	1,050	7.8
Aug. 7	4,080	87	30	96	178	245	89	1.2	626	.85	6,900	340	194	35	2.0	1,090	—
Sept. 9	4,480	86	29	104	174	282	87	.6	675	.92	6,160	354	191	40	2.3	1,070	7.7

## DIVERSIONS AND RETURN FLOW AT AND BELOW IMPERIAL DAM

## YUMA MAIN CANAL BELOW COLORADO RIVER SIPHON, AT YUMA, ARIZ.

**LOCATION.**—At gaging station on Yuma Main Canal below Colorado River siphon on Arizona side of river,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles (revised) downstream from siphon drop power plant, and a quarter of a mile downstream from highway bridge over Colorado River at Yuma, Yuma County.

**RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses:** September 1926 to September 1928; October 1942 to September 1953.

**EXTREMES, 1952-53.**—**Dissolved solids:** Maximum, 744 ppm April 1-30; minimum, 532 ppm Jan. 1-10.

**Specific conductance:** Maximum observed 1,110 micromhos Apr. 1-10; minimum observed 795 micromhos Jan. 5.

**EXTREMES, 1943-53.**—**Dissolved solids:** Maximum, 760 ppm Apr. 21-26, 28-30, 1947; minimum, 522 ppm Jan. 1-10, 1953.

**Hardness:** Maximum, 372 ppm June 1-3, 5-10, 1944; minimum, 260 ppm Jan. 1-10, 1953.

**Specific conductance:** Maximum observed 1,150 micromhos on several days in May and June, 1944 and June 1947; minimum observed, 795 micromhos Jan. 5, 1953.

**REMARKS.**—Values for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Samples collected prior to February 1943 were from the gaging station on the Colorado River at Yuma. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1283.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Chemical analyses										Dissolved solids (residue at $180^{\circ}\text{C}$ )				Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$						
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Cali- cium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magni- esium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Pot- as- sium ( $\text{K}$ )	Sod- ium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Car- bo- nate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Car- bo- nate ( $\text{CO}_3$ )	Chlo- ri- de ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluo- ride ( $\text{F}$ )	Ni- trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bor- on ( $\text{B}$ )	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Calci- um, mag- nesium residue	Non- carbo- nate residue	Per- cent so- dium	Per- cent so- dium	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at $25^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	pH	
Oct. 1-10, 1952	555	15	0.01	70	28	90	4.2	158	0	253	71	0.3	1.3	630	0.86	944	290	160	40	2.3	955	8.0
Oct. 11-20	565	15	.01	76	27	87	4.1	158	0	250	69	.3	1.5	624	.86	952	300	171	38	2.2	932	7.9
Oct. 21-31	520	13	.00	73	26	84	4.5	155	0	242	64	.3	1.4	606	.82	851	162	162	38	2.1	904	8.1
Nov. 1-10	417	13	.00	73	25	82	3.9	154	0	234	64	.3	1.6	593	.81	668	285	159	38	2.1	887	7.1
Nov. 11-20	406	14	.00	72	24	78	3.6	156	0	221	62	.3	1.5	597	.78	527	278	150	38	2.0	861	8.1
Nov. 21-30	354	13	.00	71	24	76	3.6	152	0	218	60	.3	1.6	559	.76	534	276	151	37	2.0	849	8.1
Dec. 1-10	222	13	.00	69	24	74	3.5	153	0	217	58	.3	1.3	566	.77	339	270	145	37	2.0	839	8.5
Dec. 11-20	183	12	.00	70	23	72	3.5	152	0	212	57	.3	1.4	543	.74	268	144	144	36	1.9	827	8.3
Dec. 21-31	210	15	.01	68	23	71	3.6	152	0	207	57	.4	1.3	546	.74	264	140	140	37	1.9	818	8.2
Jan. 1-10, 1953	185	13	.01	68	22	68	3.6	150	0	204	53	.4	1.2	532	.72	266	137	137	36	1.8	801	8.1
Jan. 11-20	300	14	.01	70	23	74	3.8	153	0	217	59	.3	1.4	564	.77	457	269	144	37	2.0	835	8.2
Jan. 21-31	364	14	.01	76	25	80	3.8	155	0	237	65	.4	1.2	608	.83	587	292	166	37	2.0	902	8.1
Feb. 1-10	350	14	.01	92	27	89	4.0	148	8	258	72	.4	1.4	635	.86	600	316	181	38	2.2	960	--
Feb. 11-20	448	13	.00	84	29	92	4.2	157	5	267	76	.4	1.5	637	.89	795	328	192	37	2.2	992	--
Feb. 21-28	333	15	.01	88	29	97	4.3	154	8	275	81	.4	1.4	684	.92	608	334	194	38	2.3	1,040	--
Mar. 1-10	594	13	.01	88	29	97	4.4	158	6	282	81	.4	1.1	684	.93	1,100	338	199	38	2.3	1,040	--
Mar. 11-20	625	12	.00	88	31	101	4.4	154	10	288	87	.4	1.3	707	.96	1,180	347	204	38	2.4	1,060	--
Mar. 21-31	547	12	.01	90	31	102	4.4	158	8	293	87	.4	1.1	711	.97	1,050	352	210	38	2.4	1,080	--
Apr. 1-10	450	13	.04	92	32	100	4.2	187	8	297	88	.4	2.3	737	1.00	895	361	208	37	2.3	1,100	7.9
Apr. 11-20	508	13	.04	92	32	100	4.3	191	0	298	87	.4	2.3	740	1.01	1,010	361	204	37	2.3	1,100	8.0
Apr. 21-30	482	13	.04	92	32	100	4.3	186	0	298	87	.4	2.5	738	1.01	982	361	208	37	2.3	1,100	7.9

## DIVERSSIONS AND RETURN FLOW AT AND BELOW IMPERIAL DAM--Continued

## YUMA MAIN CANAL BELOW COLORADO RIVER SIPHON AT YUMA, ARIZ.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1963--Continued

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1963--Continued												COLORADO RIVER BASIN										
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Baronite ( $\text{B}$ )	Dissolved solids (residue at $180^\circ\text{C}$ )	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Calcium, magnesium, sodium per day	Non-carbonate residue	Sodium adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at $25^\circ\text{C}$ )	pH		
May 1-10, 1953	473	1.3	0.05	92	.31	101	4.4	187	0	288	88	0.4	2.4	0.22	739	1.01	944	357	204	3.3	1.100	8.0	
May 11-20, 1953	568	1.4	.02	90	.33	104	4.4	181	0	300	85	.4	1.5	.23	737	1.00	1,130	360	212	3.8	1.100	7.4	
May 21-31, 1953	601	1.4	.02	90	.33	103	4.3	179	0	300	87	.4	1.2	.20	744	1.01	1,210	360	214	3.8	1.100	7.8	
June 1-10, 1953	602	1.3	.02	90	.31	101	4.3	180	0	298	87	.4	1.3	.21	741	1.01	1,200	352	204	3.8	1.090	7.8	
June 11-20, 1953	664	1.3	.03	88	.31	101	4.4	177	0	295	87	.4	1.8	.19	734	1.00	1,320	347	202	3.8	1.080	7.9	
June 21-30, 1953	646	1.5	.03	88	.31	99	4.3	165	6	291	86	.4	1.5	.27	732	1.00	1,260	347	202	3.8	1.080	--	
July 1-10, 1953	604	1.7	.01	85	.31	101	4.6	177	0	288	86	.4	1.4	.19	713	.97	1,160	340	194	3.9	2.4	7.7	
July 11-20, 1953	634	1.6	.06	84	.30	101	4.6	176	0	286	85	.4	1.5	.18	703	.96	1,200	333	189	3.9	2.4	7.7	
July 21-31, 1953	742	1.5	.01	84	.29	101	4.5	174	0	281	84	.4	1.5	.18	701	.95	1,400	326	186	4.0	2.4	8.0	
AUG. 1-10, 1953	756	1.6	.01	83	.29	101	4.5	170	0	279	84	.4	1.4	.20	697	.95	1,420	326	186	4.0	2.4	8.0	
AUG. 11-20, 1953	655	1.5	.02	82	.29	100	4.4	168	0	278	82	.4	1.1	.17	704	.96	1,260	324	185	4.0	2.4	7.9	
AUG. 21-31, 1953	635	1.6	.01	83	.30	98	4.3	166	0	280	82	.4	1.1	.18	689	.94	1,160	330	194	3.9	2.3	7.6	
Sept. 1-10, 1953	975	1.3	.02	83	.29	97	4.2	166	0	277	83	.4	1.0	.17	689	.94	1,070	326	190	3.9	2.3	7.7	
Sept. 11-20, 1953	696	1.2	.02	82	.30	96	4.1	164	0	271	83	.4	1.0	.16	684	.93	1,290	326	194	3.9	2.3	7.8	
Sept. 21-30, 1953	673	1.2	.02	82	.29	100	4.3	165	0	279	85	.4	1.0	.18	689	.94	1,250	324	188	4.0	2.4	7.8	
Weighted average, ...	505	1.4	.02	83	.29	95	4.2	170	--	273	79	.4	1.4	.17	680	0.92	927	326	186	3.8	2.3	1,020	--

## SEVIER LAKE BASIN

## PART 10. THE GREAT BASIN

## SEVIER LAKE BASIN

## SEVIER RIVER NEAR LYNNNDYL, UTAH

LOCATION.—At bridge on State Highway 125, 1½ miles upstream from gaging station, which is 3½ miles southwest of Lyndyl, Millard County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—6,270 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953; 34°F July 29, minimum, 30°F on several days during November and December.

EXTREMES: 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 3,650 micromhos Mar. 13; minimum, 884 micromhos Mar. 29-31, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 1,170 ppm Mar. 11-16, 1953; minimum, 424 ppm Mar. 29-31, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 5,650 micromhos Mar. 13; minimum daily, 1,340 micromhos Mar. 30, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 81°F Aug. 3, 1952; minimum observed, 33°F on many days during December to February, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1284.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Dissolved solids (sum)			Non-carbonate calcium-magnesium	Per cent sodium carbonate	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
												Tons per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day				
Oct. 1-4, 7, 1952	56.8	21	94	101	323	6.7	314	416	480	3.3	--	1,610	2.19	247	650	52	5.5	2,500
Oct. 5-6, 8-9	62.0	16	77	145	4.7	208	201	250	358	3.6	41	915	1.24	484	240	39	2.9	2,550
Oct. 10-20	... ... ...	110	19	94	242	6.7	318	410	410	4.5	41	1,410	1.96	428	617	334	5.0	2,310
Oct. 21-28, 30-31	64.1	17	91	92	161	77	232	277	280	4.1	--	1,340	1.82	232	606	345	4.3	2,200
Oct. 29	65.0	16	84	85	218	6.7	334	305	330	4.3	--	1,292	1.35	174	524	284	4.0	1,610
Nov. 1-10	191	17	83	87	305	6.6	342	405	405	4.7	--	1,210	1.65	624	559	286	4.0	1,980
Nov. 11-20	227	20	108	334	6.6	332	424	510	2.9	3.8	--	1,440	1.96	883	574	294	5.3	2,290
Nov. 21-30	75.2	19	111	108	334	6.6	332	424	510	2.9	--	1,680	2.28	341	721	449	5.4	2,680
Dec. 1-9	47.9	20	111	397	6.6	336	479	585	2.7	2.7	--	1,890	2.57	244	493	53	6.2	3,000
Dec. 10-20	26.5	19	152	144	544	8.0	350	694	815	1.7	--	2,650	3.47	182	971	684	5.6	7.8
Dec. 21-31	21.0	20	154	145	548	8.0	354	694	825	1.6	--	2,570	3.50	146	980	690	5.5	4,010
Jan. 1-10, 1953	19.5	21	145	161	596	8.6	315	775	900	2.9	--	2,760	3.75	145	1,020	766	5.6	8.0
Jan. 11-20	19.4	19	156	159	563	8.5	338	766	880	3.1	--	2,720	3.70	142	1,040	766	5.4	4,350
Jan. 21-31	17.6	20	164	166	618	9.4	362	812	935	2.4	--	2,910	3.96	138	1,090	795	5.1	7.6
Feb. 1-10	16.7	22	156	600	8.6	350	793	925	4.1	--	2,850	3.88	129	1,070	784	5.6	4,470	
Feb. 11-20	16.8	22	163	159	570	8.3	368	749	865	3.0	59	2,720	3.70	123	1,060	759	5.4	8.0
Feb. 21-28	18.4	22	175	156	582	8.2	368	750	880	3.4	--	2,760	3.75	137	1,080	778	5.4	4,270
Mar. 1-10	19.9	21	169	166	600	8.7	357	766	900	2.5	--	2,800	3.81	150	1,060	770	5.5	4,370
Mar. 11-16	19.5	22	173	165	599	9.2	376	848	975	2.9	--	3,050	4.15	161	1,170	860	5.3	4,700
Mar. 17	45.0	21	134	99	321	351	425	502	502	2.4	--	2,910	2.26	202	742	454	4.8	2,720
Mar. 18-27	77.5	18	94	82	203	5.9	310	279	338	3.5	--	1,180	1.60	247	572	318	3.7	1,950
Mar. 28-31	22.2	22	95	97	283	7.1	344	398	5.4	--	1,490	2.03	636	354	354	4.9	2,350	

## THE GREAT BASIN

## SEYER LAKE BASIN--Continued

## SEYER RIVER NEAR LYNNDDYL, UTAH--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Dissolved solids			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$			Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH	Col- or
												Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per day	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per day			
Apr. 1-10, 1953.....	208	20	94	89	266	6.4	344	356	372	4.8	0.39	1,380	1.98	776	600	318	49	4.7	2,240	--
Apr. 11-20.....	197	21	84	86	259	7.1	337	342	368	3.9	1.340	1.82	713	563	287	50	4.7	2,160	--	
Apr. 21-30.....	575	23	86	89	285	7.2	349	375	385	5.2	--	1,430	1.94	2,220	580	294	51	5.1	2,300	--
May 1-10.....	321	22	84	89	286	7.2	342	377	390	4.7	--	1,430	1.94	2,240	576	296	52	5.2	2,320	--
May 11-20.....	488	22	77	86	291	7.5	342	366	380	5.0	--	1,400	1.90	1,840	546	266	53	5.4	2,280	--
May 21-31.....	623	22	81	83	291	7.5	351	359	350	5.2	--	1,370	1.86	2,300	544	256	53	5.4	2,260	--
June 1-10.....	453	21	84	89	306	7.9	349	381	395	5.2	--	1,450	1.99	1,790	576	290	53	5.6	2,370	--
June 11-20.....	383	21	81	87	297	7.9	341	366	405	5.7	--	1,440	1.96	1,490	580	280	53	5.6	2,280	--
June 21-30.....	550	19	81	86	297	7.9	346	369	395	5.5	--	1,430	1.94	2,120	556	272	53	5.5	2,300	--
July 1-10.....	742	19	79	89	308	7.5	346	377	410	5.7	--	1,450	1.99	2,920	563	280	54	5.6	2,320	--
July 11-20.....	517	22	80	93	309	7.2	337	386	410	6.0	.44	1,480	2.01	2,070	582	306	53	5.6	2,350	--
July 21-31.....	379	23	84	96	323	7.3	343	395	430	5.6	--	1,530	2.08	1,570	604	323	53	5.7	2,410	--
Aug. 1-10.....	199	24	92	91	297	8.7	310	378	415	4.4	--	1,460	1.99	784	604	350	51	5.2	2,380	--
Aug. 11-20.....	486	23	84	95	332	7.9	336	398	440	6.2	--	1,550	2.11	2,030	600	324	54	5.9	2,450	--
Aug. 21-31.....	527	22	80	100	360	7.6	340	426	470	5.7	--	1,640	2.23	2,330	610	332	56	6.3	2,580	--
Sept. 1-10.....	234	24	79	104	350	8.2	338	439	455	4.2	--	1,630	2.22	1,030	624	348	55	6.1	2,650	--
Sept. 11-20.....	159	22	84	107	350	8.2	329	439	470	4.9	--	1,650	2.24	708	650	380	54	6.0	2,650	--
Sept. 21-30.....	120	21	82	104	332	7.6	322	416	456	8.9	--	1,580	2.16	515	632	368	53	5.8	2,550	--
Weighted average	232	21	85	92	309	7.5	341	388	416	5.3	--	1,490	2.03	933	590	311	53	5.5	2,390	--

## SEVIER LAKE BASIN--Continued

## SEVIER RIVER NEAR LYNNDYL, UTAH--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	69	50	36	44	52	51	54	54	62	70	72	71
2	69	50	36	44	52	51	60	51	62	70	72	71
3	69	49	35	44	52	51	60	54	62	71	72	70
4	69	49	35	44	48	51	50	61	63	72	74	71
5	69	49	35	42	49	56	50	64	63	72	74	70
6	69	49	37	38	48	58	50	64	63	74	76	70
7	67	47	37	38	48	58	50	64	64	72	74	70
8	64	49	39	44	41	58	50	56	66	72	76	72
9	63	48	39	48	41	58	50	54	68	72	76	72
10	63	47	39	48	41	58	50	54	72	74	76	73
11	62	47	38	48	40	52	50	54	74	74	76	72
12	60	47	38	50	43	54	52	60	72	74	76	73
13	61	47	36	38	43	58	54	60	72	74	72	73
14	58	47	36	38	43	52	56	60	72	74	74	73
15	58	47	36	38	43	52	58	60	73	76	74	73
16	60	45	36	46	46	54	59	59	73	75	76	72
17	60	45	34	46	50	54	59	60	73	75	76	72
18	61	45	34	46	45	48	60	60	72	75	75	72
19	61	43	34	46	47	52	60	60	72	75	74	71
20	62	43	36	44	47	52	64	60	70	75	74	70
21	62	43	36	44	47	52	64	61	70	75	73	70
22	60	43	34	44	47	52	63	60	70	76	73	68
23	60	43	34	46	47	59	63	60	70	76	73	69
24	56	43	34	50	47	62	58	60	68	76	72	68
25	56	37	34	50	50	62	58	60	70	76	72	--
Aver-												
age	61	44	36	45	47	55	56	59	69	74	73	70

## CARSON RIVER BASIN

## EAST FORK CARSON RIVER NEAR GARDNERVILLE, NEV.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 3 miles downstream from Leviathan Creek, and 7 miles southeast of Gardnerville.

DRAINAGE AREA.--344 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: May 1953 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, May 1953, Sept. 1953.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 68°F on several days during July and September.

REMARKS.--Minimum values not published because period did not include winter months. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1284.

Temperature (°F) of water, May to September 1953

Day	April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....		--			53		53		67		63	
2.....		--			53		54		67		66	
3.....		--			54		54		66		67	
4.....		--			54		55		65		67	
5.....		--			53		55		65		67	
6.....		--			53		56		65		68	
7.....		--			53		56		66		68	
8.....		--			50		57		65		68	
9.....		--			51		58		65		68	
10.....		--			51		58		65		68	
11.....		--			51		59		65		68	
12.....		--			51		59		65		67	
13.....		--			50		60		65		66	
14.....		--			51		62		65		66	
15.....		53			51		62		65		67	
16.....		51			51		62		65		67	
17.....		55			53		62		66		66	
18.....		55			56		62		66		66	
19.....		55			55		63		66		66	
20.....		54			53		65		66		67	
21.....		53			52		65		66		67	
22.....		53			52		65		66		65	
23.....		53			52		66		67		65	
24.....		51			52		66		65		65	
25.....		50			52		66		65		66	
26.....		49			52		66		65		66	
27.....		49			52		66		65		65	
28.....		50			52		68		65		66	
29.....		52			52		68		65		66	
30.....		54			53		68		61		64	
31.....		54		--			68		61		--	
Average.....		--			52		61		65		66	

## HUMBOLDT RIVER NEAR RYE PATCH, NEV.

LOCATION.—Below Rye Patch Dam, 1,000 feet upstream from gaging station, and 2 miles northwest of Rye Patch, Pershing County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—13,700 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1951 to 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 703 ppm Sept. 15; minimum, 512 ppm Dec. 21-31, 1951.

Hardness: Maximum, 222 ppm Dec. 1-25; minimum, 194 ppm May 15-31.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,120 micromhos Aug. 15-Sept. 3; minimum daily, 798 micromhos Oct. 8.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 72°F July 21-22, Aug. 18; minimum observed, 35°F Dec. 24.

EXTREMES, 1951-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 703 ppm Sept. 15; minimum, 512 ppm Dec. 21-31, 1951.

Hardness: Maximum, 222 ppm Dec. 1-25, 1952; minimum, 171 ppm May 1-10, 1953.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,120 micromhos Aug. 15-Sept. 3, 1953; minimum daily, 784 micromhos Dec. 31, 1951.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 76°F July 31, Aug. 1, 1952; minimum observed, 35°F Dec. 24, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Discharge records for gaging station near Rye Patch for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1284. No appreciable inflow between gaging station and sampling point except during periods of local rains.

Chemical analyses in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Carbo-bonate ( $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Non-carbonate calcium, magnesium	Percent sodium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH	
															Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day						
Oct. 1-10, 1952...	61.1	43	0.05	52	19	103	15	360	--	66	0.9	1.5	--	548	0.75	90.4	208	0	50	3.1	833	8.1	
Oct. 1-20.....	117	43	.05	52	19	104	15	360	--	65	.9	1.1	0.53	548	.75	173	208	0	50	3.1	835	8.2	
Oct. 21-31.....	60.0	41	.05	52	19	104	15	362	--	65	.9	1.0	--	548	.75	88.8	205	0	50	3.1	842	8.0	
Nov. 1-10.....	89.2	40	.05	51	19	104	15	353	12	65	.9	0.8	--	545	.74	131	203	0	50	3.2	833	8.4	
Nov. 11-20.....	97.0	40	.05	50	19	105	16	310	24	67	.9	1.0	.52	543	.74	143	212	0	51	3.2	831	8.5	
Nov. 21-30.....	73.4	51	.04	52	20	111	9.2	364	--	71	.62	.8	.4	--	562	.76	111	212	0	52	3.3	859	8.3
Dec. 1-25.....	4.3	52	.02	56	20	111	9.2	364	--	70	.63	.8	.6	.48	561	.76	6.51	222	0	51	3.3	865	8.2
Feb. 5-19, 1953...	3.5	40	.18	53	20	111	8.8	358	--	71	.66	.8	.4	.49	550	.75	5.20	214	0	52	3.3	862	8.3
Feb. 20-28.....	2.7	45	.05	49	19	110	8.9	340	8	69	.65	.9	.5	--	549	.75	4.00	198	0	53	3.4	856	8.1
Mar. 1-10.....	88.3	44	.07	50	19	110	14	357	12	68	.66	.9	.5	--	552	.75	132	203	0	52	3.4	862	8.4
Mar. 11-20.....	142	42	.11	50	19	110	14	318	20	69	.67	.9	.4	--	548	.75	212	203	0	52	3.4	870	8.3
Mar. 21-31.....	132	42	.10	50	19	110	14	344	8	69	.68	.9	.4	--	554	.75	197	203	0	52	3.4	872	8.3
Apr. 1-10.....	252	40	.16	48	19	116	15	324	16	72	.71	.9	.3	--	556	.76	378	198	0	54	3.6	878	8.4
Apr. 11-20.....	288	45	.06	50	20	120	8.9	358	--	75	.74	.8	.4	.51	578	.79	449	207	0	54	3.6	905	8.1
Apr. 21-30.....	477	42	.06	50	20	121	8.9	354	--	77	.76	.7	.4	--	582	.79	570	207	0	55	3.7	913	8.2
May 1-10.....	357	42	.08	50	20	122	16	356	--	79	.82	.7	.4	--	582	.81	571	207	0	54	3.7	911	8.1
May 11-20.....	328	41	.09	51	20	123	17	328	12	80	.86	.7	.4	.57	582	.81	529	206	0	54	3.8	939	8.3
May 21-31.....	323	47	.06	45	20	131	15	334	9	82	.88	.7	.2	--	606	.82	528	194	0	57	4.1	945	8.3
June 1-10.....	251	47	.05	48	20	131	15	345	5	83	.88	.8	1.0	--	612	.83	415	202	0	56	4.0	964	8.3
June 11-20.....	378	44	.10	46	20	135	16	347	--	85	.96	.8	1.2	.57	617	.84	630	197	0	58	4.2	983	8.1
June 21-30.....	332	44	.03	46	20	139	16	337	6	88	.98	.8	1.0	--	632	.86	587	197	0	58	4.3	1,010	8.2

## HUMBOLDT RIVER BASIN--Continued

## HUMBOLDT RIVER NEAR RYE PATCH, NEV.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°)												Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent sodium-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or	pH						
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Car- bon- ate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sul- fate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bor- on (B)	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day								
July 1-10, 1953	360	44	0.09	46	20	140	17	332	9	90	108	0.8	1.0	--	648	0.88	630	197	0	58	4.3	1,030	8.2	15
July 11-20	509	49	.08	46	21	156	19	356	--	95	114	.8	.4	0.54	669	.91	919	202	0	60	4.8	1,070	7.1	10
July 21-31	507	51	.06	47	22	158	19	342	10	98	116	.8	.4	--	688	.94	942	208	0	60	4.7	1,060	8.2	8
Aug. 1-10	270	51	.04	48	21	158	20	346	8	99	116	.8	.4	--	692	.94	504	206	0	60	4.8	1,100	8.2	13
Aug. 11-20	286	49	.07	46	22	160	21	360	--	100	119	.8	.4	.74	694	.94	502	206	0	60	4.9	1,110	7.9	20
Aug. 21-31	226	50	.09	46	22	160	21	342	10	102	118	.8	.4	--	695	.95	424	206	0	60	4.9	1,110	8.2	15
Sept. 1-10	258	47	.09	45	22	160	20	336	12	103	118	.8	.4	--	694	.94	483	203	0	60	4.9	1,110	8.2	15
Sept. 11-20	279	47	.14	44	22	160	20	318	20	104	120	1.0	.4	.78	697	.95	525	200	0	61	4.9	1,100	8.3	30
Sept. 21-30	162	53	.18	44	22	165	19	338	12	104	116	.8	.5	--	703	.96	307	200	0	61	5.1	1,110	8.3	10
Weighted average	221	46	0.08	48	20	137	16	343	--	86	95	0.8	0.6	--	628	0.85	358	202	0	57	4.2	992	--	--

a Represents 99.8 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## HUMBOLDT RIVER BASIN--Continued

## HUMBOLDT RIVER NEAR RYE PATCH, NEV.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	66	56	41		--	38	45	52	56	64	71	68
2	65	56	41		--	41	46	54	56	65	71	68
3	65	54	40		--	39	48	55	57	65	71	67
4	65	53	40		--	42	48	56	57	66	70	67
5	65	54	40		40	42	49	54	58	66	70	67
6	65	53	41		41	43	48	54	57	66	70	67
7	64	53	41		41	43	46	54	56	66	70	67
8	64	52	40		40	43	46	53	58	66	70	67
9	64	51	40		39	43	46	53	59	66	71	67
10	64	50	41		38	43	46	54	60	67	71	67
11	64	51	41		39	43	46	55	61	66	71	68
12	65	50	41		38	42	46	56	59	65	71	68
13	64	49	40		40	42	47	57	59	67	70	67
14	64	48	39		40	43	47	55	59	67	70	--
15	64	47	39		39	42	48	54	59	68	70	68
16	64	47	39		40	45	48	56	62	68	70	68
17	--	47	39		40	42	48	56	63	69	70	68
18	--	46	39		39	43	49	57	65	70	72	67
19	--	--	38		38	42	49	56	64	70	70	68
20	62	--	38		38	42	49	56	65	71	70	68
21	61	--	38		39	43	50	56	64	72	71	--
22	62	44	36		39	44	52	57	65	72	70	66
23	61	44	37		39	45	54	56	64	71	69	67
24	60	43	35		39	46	54	55	64	71	69	66
25	59	42	37		40	43	54	55	62	71	69	66
26	59	42	--		41	44	54	55	63	71	69	66
27	59	41	--		42	45	53	55	65	71	69	66
28	58	41	--		42	46	53	--	64	71	68	65
29	57	42	--		--	46	52	56	64	71	68	65
30	--	42	--		--	47	51	57	64	71	66	65
31	--	--	--		--	44	--	57	--	71	67	--
Average	63	48	39		40	43	49	55	61	68	70	67

PYRAMID AND WINEMUCCA LAKES BASIN  
MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS AND LAKES IN PYRAMID AND WINEMUCCA LAKES BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Ca-ium (Ca)	Mag-ne-sium (Mg)	Potas-sium (K)	Sodium (Na)	Dissolved Solids (sum)						Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Per-cent-sodium	So-dium-adsorp-tion ratio	Specific-conduct-ance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH	Col-or		
								Chloride (Cl)	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Bicar-bonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Ni-trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Fluo-ride (F)	Bor-on (B)	Parts per mil-lion	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Calcium, Non-mag-ne-sium				
LAKE TAHOE (SOUTH END) BLOU (SEC. 35, T. 13 N., R. 18 E.)																					
Oct. 22, 1952 .....		8.8	0.00	9.0	2.3	6.9	1.7	52	2.1	2.2	0.0	0.3	0.01	59	0.08	32	0	31	92.4	7.3	
Mar. 24, 1953 .....		--	10	1.6	7.4	--	54	--	3.2	--	--	.05	--	--	--	--	32	0	34	92.4	7.7
Apr. 13 .....		--	8.9	2.1	8.2	--	52	2.6	--	.01	--	--	--	--	--	37	0	31	88.7	7.6	
May 4 .....	12	1	8.6	2.3	6.3	1.7	52	2.2	1.8	.0	.02	.0	.02	60	.08	31	0	29	88.6	7.6	
Aug. 10 .....		--	9.6	2.7	6.1	1.7	52	--	3.0	--	.00	--	.00	62	.08	35	0	26	91.5	7.2	
Sept. 21 .....		9.6	.00	9.2	3.2	6.1	1.6	55	2.0	3.5	.1	.1	.00	62	.08	36	0	26	92.5	7.7	
LAKE TAHOE (NORTH END) TAHOE VISTA (SEC. 14, T. 16 N., R. 17 E.)																					
Oct. 22, 1952 .....		11	0.00	9.4	2.3	6.7	1.5	55	2.2	1.9	0.1	0.0	0.02	62	0.08	33	0	29	94.3	7.4	
Mar. 24, 1953 .....		--	9.1	3.0	8.2	--	56	--	2.6	--	.01	--	--	65	.09	35	0	34	94.7	7.7	
Apr. 13 .....	13	0	9.5	2.5	6.5	1.6	56	1.9	2.2	.1	.2	.00	.00	65	.09	34	0	28	95.4	7.8	
May 4 .....		--	2.2	6.0	1.6	53	--	3.0	--	.00	--	--	--	68	.09	34	0	27	92.6	7.3	
Aug. 10 .....		--	9.2	2.7	6.9	1.6	54	6.5	1.5	.0	.0	.05	.05	68	.09	34	0	29	94.1	7.6	
Sept. 21 .....	13	--	8.8	2.9	6.1	1.5	54	3.9	1.0	.0	.0	.00	.00	64	.09	34	0	27	93.1	7.6	
LAKE TAHOE (WEST SIDE) TAHOE CITY (SEC. 7, T. 15 N., R. 17 E.)																					
Oct. 22, 1952 .....		11	0.00	9.4	2.3	6.9	1.5	54	2.1	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.02	62	0.08	33	0	30	92.1	7.5	
Mar. 24, 1953 .....		--	9.7	1.9	6.5	--	52	--	2.5	.0	.04	--	--	32	.0	31	91.4	7.5			
Apr. 5 .....	13	0	9.5	2.2	5.8	1.9	54	2.6	2.0	.0	.2	.01	.64	--	--	33	0	26	93.0	7.7	
Apr. 13 .....		--	8.9	2.6	8.2	--	54	--	2.6	--	.01	--	--	33	.0	35	94.3	7.6			
Aug. 8 .....		--	9.0	2.8	5.2	1.4	52	--	2.5	.0	.02	--	--	34	0	24	90.7	7.6			
Sept. 21 .....	13	--	8.8	2.9	6.1	1.5	54	3.9	1.0	.0	.0	.00	.00	64	.09	34	0	27	93.1	7.6	
TRUCKEE RIVER NEAR TRUCKEE (SEC. 28, T. 17 N., R. 16 E.)																					
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	370	12	0.00	9.4	2.6	6.9	1.8	54	2.6	2.7	0.0	0.1	0.04	65	0.09	34	0	29	93.7	7.5	
Mar. 24, 1953 .....	85	--	9.2	1.7	4.5	--	52	--	1.5	--	.04	--	--	30	0	25	84.8	7.7			
Apr. 5 .....	106	--	8.2	2.5	4.1	--	41	--	1.4	--	.02	--	--	31	0	22	82.9	7.4			
Apr. 13 .....	267	18	0	6.7	2.0	2.8	.8	33	4.4	.5	.3	.00	.52	.07	25	0	19	64.1	7.4		
May 4 .....		--	9.6	2.9	6.3	1.5	52	--	2.8	--	.00	--	--	36	0	27	92.2	7.8			
Aug. 10 .....	221	--	9.2	2.7	6.1	1.7	55	2.7	2.5	.0	.0	.04	.65	.09	34	0	27	101	7.8		
Sept. 21 .....	207	13	--	8.8	2.9	6.1	1.5	54	3.9	1.0	.0	.0	.00	65	.09	34	0	27	93.1	7.6	

## TRUCKEE RIVER AT FARAD (SEC. 29, T. 18 N., R. 18 E.)

Oct. 22, 1952 .....	445	16	0.00	9.9	3.7	6.9	1.7	.57	3.0	0.0	0.04	.71	0.10	.40	0	.26	102	7.4
Mar. 24, 1953 .....	560	--	--	9.7	3.4	4.5	--	--	2.0	--	.05	--	--	.38	0	.20	93.1	7.5
Apr. 13 .....	520	--	--	8.3	2.7	5.0	--	.46	1.5	--	.01	--	.07	.32	0	.25	81.1	7.6
May 5 .....	1,447	19	.1	6.8	1.8	3.0	.8	.37	2.0	.2	.03	.52	.07	.24	0	.20	62.0	7.6
Aug. 11 .....	575	--	--	8.8	2.5	4.3	1.2	.45	2.5	--	.00	--	.32	0	.22	80.4	7.3	
Sept. 22 .....	580	16	.03	8.4	2.7	4.3	1.4	.48	1.0	.22	.1	.0	.00	.60	.06	.32	0	81.7
																		7.5

HONEY LAKE BASIN  
MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN HONEY LAKE BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

## SUSAN RIVER NEAR SUSANVILLE (SEC. 31, T. 30 N., R. 12 E.)

Mar. 25, 1953 .....	103	--	--	11	3.7	5.0	--	--	1.5	--	0.05	--	--	.43	0	.20	99.6	7.8
Apr. 14 .....	89	--	--	16	4.5	4.0	.7	.60	.9	--	.00	--	.43	0	.17	96.4	7.6	
May 5 .....	255	17	0.0	7.1	3.0	2.8	0.7	.44	1.2	.8	.03	.00	.55	0.07	.30	0	16	69.6
Aug. 12 .....	102	--	--	5.9	2.7	1.8	.3	.36	--	.0	--	.00	--	.26	0	.13	56.4	7.6
Sept. 22 .....	6.3	36	--	16	9.0	6.3	2.5	.109	1.0	.12	.0	.3	.00	.126	.17	.77	0	15
																	173	7.8

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## PART 11. PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## CARMEL RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN CARMEL RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbo-nate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		
														Parts per million	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per milli- lion	Parts per million	Calcium, magnesium and potassium	Non-carbonate
CARMEL RIVER NEAR CARMEL (SEC. 17, T. 16 S., R. 1 E.)																			
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	25	0.00	36	33	43	4.0	170	104	.54	0.3	0.1	0.11	383	0.52	226	86	29	622	8.0
Jan. 20, 1953 .....	--	22	7.9	13	1.5	91	--	14	--	--	--	--	--	--	87	13	24	238	7.6
Feb. 17 .....	--	38	9.9	25	2.5	131	--	26	--	--	--	--	--	--	136	28	28	392	8.0
Mar. 18 .....	--	38	10	21	--	128	--	25	--	.02	.02	--	--	--	136	31	25	377	7.9
May 14 .....	22	.0	31	10	20	2.2	118	42	.2	.2	.06	.02	205	.28	116	22	26	324	7.6
June 10 .....	--	35	12	24	2.4	131	--	24	--	--	--	--	--	--	137	29	27	378	7.9
Aug. 13 .....	--	57	21	43	3.6	178	--	55	--	.02	.04	--	--	--	228	82	29	627	7.8
Sept. 30 .....	23	.01	60	20	47	4.1	172	100	.58	.3	.3	.12	397	.54	232	90	30	646	7.4

## SALINAS RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SALINAS RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbo-nate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>			
														Parts per million	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per milli- lion	Parts per million	Calcium, magnesium and potassium	Non-carbonate	
SALINAS RIVER NEAR SPRECKLES (SEC. 8, T. 15 S., R. 3 E.)																				
Jan. 20, 1953 .....	1,080	--	--	40	17	24	1.8	160	--	18	--	--	--	--	170	39	23	428	8.1	
Feb. 3 .....	278	--	--	55	27	39	2.4	212	--	33	--	--	--	--	248	74	25	619	8.2	
Feb. 18 .....	102	22	--	75	28	58	4.7	239	134	61	0.6	12	0.40	513	0.70	302	106	39	633	7.4
May 21 .....	7.4	31	0.0	83	56	135	9.4	454	194	125	.4	9.9	.33	869	1.18	446	74	39	1,380	7.6

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN PAJARO RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953							Dissolved solids (sum)							Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)		Col- or pH	
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Ca- lum- inum (Ca)	Mg- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCOC <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Cal- cium, mag- nesium	Non- carbo- nate	Per- cent so- dium in so- dium	So- dium ad- sorp- tion ratio		
UVAS CREEK NEAR MORGAN HILL (SEC. 18, T. 10 S., R. 3 E.)																				
Oct. 20, 1952	0.3	22	0.00	49	19	17	1.2	223	44	7.0	0.1	0.0	0.09	272	0.37	200	14	15	424	7.9
Jan. 20, 1953	133	--	28	17	9.2	.7	158	--	6.0	--	--	--	--	140	10	12	304	7.9	369	7.9
Feb. 17	17	--	33	23	12	.6	198	--	6.5	--	--	--	--	177	15	13	328	7.9	328	7.6
Mar. 25	41	--	24	22	11	--	166	--	7.0	--	.04	--	--	150	14	14	380	8.2	328	7.7
Apr. 21	--	--	33	25	14	--	200	--	7.5	--	.07	--	--	185	21	14	328	7.7	373	7.9
May 13	13	--	27	24	12	.8	189	32	5.5	.0	.1	.11	.218	166	11	14	373	7.9	416	7.7
Aug. 18	13	23	.0	27	20	14	2.3	220	--	.7	.08	--	--	200	19	13	373	7.9	416	7.7
Sept. 24	.3	23	--	46	21	14	.7	222	33	7.5	.2	.1	.09	255	.35	201	19	13	416	7.7
PAJARO RIVER NEAR CHITTENDEN (SEC. 12, T. 12 S., R. 3 E.)																				
Oct. 20, 1952	5.2	29	0.00	72	64	139	6.8	520	146	121	0.2	0.5	0.53	836	1.14	442	16	40	1,350	8.0
Jan. 20, 1953	a 320	--	42	24	34	2.1	190	--	30	--	--	--	--	204	48	26	536	7.8	938	7.7
Feb. 17	3.4	--	55	57	70	2.5	288	--	55	--	--	--	--	372	136	29	685	8.0	685	8.0
Mar. 25	88	--	49	36	48	--	223	--	37	--	--	--	--	210	84	28	1,220	8.1	976	7.8
Apr. 21	22	--	82	64	91	--	350	--	82	--	.45	--	--	468	180	30	1,610	8.2	44	8.2
May 13	27	23	.0	71	53	67	2.0	304	202	58	.3	4.3	.29	395	146	27	1,860	8.2	523	7.9
Aug. 18	1.9	27	.0	91	72	189	4.4	542	--	190	--	.34	--	579	86	44	1,860	8.2	579	8.2
Sept. 24	2.3	24	--	87	83	212	6.5	602	278	184	.5	1.8	.68	1,180	1.60	201	19	13	416	7.7

<sup>a</sup> Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## SQUEL CREEK BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SQUEL CREEK BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- sium (K)	Sodium (Na)	SqueL CREEK AT SQUEL (SEC. 10, T. 11 S., R. 1 W.)						Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or					
								Dissolved solids (sum)												
Oct. 21, 1952.....	6.2	37	0.00	79	21	50	4.9	248	90	.66	0.2	0.10	470	0.64	284	80	27	748	7.9	
Jan. 20, 1953.....	115	--	--	44	14	22	2.2	136	--	--	--	--	--	--	167	56	22	420	7.9	
Feb. 17.....	24	--	--	68	18	35	3.5	206	--	31	--	--	--	--	244	74	23	612	8.0	
Mar. 25.....	45	--	--	31	29	32	--	169	--	22	--	.06	--	--	196	58	26	497	8.0	
Apr. 21.....	19	--	.0	69	18	35	--	208	--	.32	--	.11	--	--	246	76	24	609	8.2	
May 14.....	21	--	.0	37	35	34	3.4	206	100	.32	.2	.4	.06	.372	.51	23	68	600	8.0	
Aug. 19.....	4.8	--	--	76	21	46	4.4	244	--	.61	--	.04	--	--	276	76	26	726	7.9	
Sept. 25.....	4.3	38	--	73	25	47	1.3	250	86	.65	.2	.2	.13	.459	.62	285	80	26	755	8.0

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- sium (K)	Sodium (Na)	SqueL CREEK AT SQUEL (SEC. 10, T. 11 S., R. 1 W.)						Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or					
								Dissolved solids (sum)												
Oct. 21, 1952.....	24	25	0.00	38	6.9	21	1.8	130	30	.24	0.2	0.08	211	0.29	123	17	27	331	7.7	
Jan. 21, 1953.....	412	--	--	27	7.9	14	1.4	86	--	12	--	--	--	--	100	29	23	265	7.7	
Feb. 17.....	102	--	--	38	8.5	18	1.6	120	--	16	--	--	--	--	130	31	23	342	8.0	
Mar. 26.....	78	--	--	34	8.7	--	--	109	--	15	--	.04	--	--	121	31	23	320	7.6	
Apr. 20.....	82	--	--	38	9.4	19	--	123	--	.18	--	.06	--	--	133	33	24	346	8.1	
May 14.....	83	--	.0	37	8.0	18	--	121	--	.16	.1	.4	.03	.215	.29	26	23	334	7.5	
Aug. 19.....	23	--	--	38	7.3	20	1.8	131	--	.21	--	.00	--	--	125	17	25	334	7.6	
Sept. 25.....	20	26	--	37	7.4	19	1.5	132	28	.22	.2	.2	.06	.206	.26	123	15	25	332	7.8

## SAN LORENZO RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SAN LORENZO RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

## Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

## SAN LORENZO RIVER AT BIG TREES (SEC. 26, T. 10 S., R. 2 W.)

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- sium (K)	Sodium (Na)	San Lorenzo River at Big Trees (Sec. 26, T. 10 S., R. 2 W.)						Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or					
								Dissolved solids (sum)												
Oct. 21, 1952.....	24	25	0.00	38	6.9	21	1.8	130	30	.24	0.2	0.08	211	0.29	123	17	27	331	7.7	
Jan. 21, 1953.....	412	--	--	27	7.9	14	1.4	86	--	12	--	--	--	--	100	29	23	265	7.7	
Feb. 17.....	102	--	--	38	8.5	18	1.6	120	--	16	--	--	--	--	130	31	23	342	8.0	
Mar. 26.....	78	--	--	34	8.7	--	--	109	--	15	--	.04	--	--	121	31	23	320	7.6	
Apr. 20.....	82	--	--	38	9.4	19	--	123	--	.18	--	.06	--	--	133	33	24	346	8.1	
May 14.....	83	--	.0	37	8.0	18	--	121	--	.16	.1	.4	.03	.215	.29	26	23	334	7.5	
Aug. 19.....	23	--	--	38	7.3	20	1.8	131	--	.21	--	.00	--	--	125	17	25	334	7.6	
Sept. 25.....	20	26	--	37	7.4	19	1.5	132	28	.22	.2	.2	.06	.206	.26	123	15	25	332	7.8

<sup>a</sup> Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## GUADALUPE RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN GUADALUPE RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Date of collection	'Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953																				
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrato-ride (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per mil-	Tons per acre-	Tons per foot	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per-	Specific conductance (micro-	pH	Col-	or
													mill.	per ac-	foot	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	sulfur	mines at 25°C			
Oct. 2, 1952 . . . . .	0.5	18	0.00	35	39	20	1.6	248	54	18	0.1	4.0	0.09	312	0.42	248	45	15	531	7.8	
Jan. 21, 1953 . . . . .	a 26	--	--	33	17	12	1.2	146	--	12	--	--	--	--	--	162	33	15	344	7.8	
Feb. 16 . . . . .	a 40	--	--	35	15	13	1.6	148	--	8.0	--	--	--	--	--	149	23	16	338	7.6	
Mar. 26 . . . . .	a 55	--	--	28	14	11	--	154	--	8.0	--	.05	--	--	--	127	1	16	236	7.5	
Apr. 20 . . . . .	a 58	--	--	36	15	12	--	151	--	8.5	--	.06	--	--	--	162	23	15	334	8.1	
May 13 . . . . .	79	38	.0	18	9.2	16	1.6	2.2	102	13	.3	.04	.04	.22	.28	83	201	24	14	435	8.2
Aug. 18 . . . . .	5.5	--	--	46	21	15	1.6	2.6	216	--	10	--	--	--	--	201	24	14	234	7.8	
Sept. 24 . . . . .	4.8	14	--	--	44	19	16	1.3	200	37	9.5	.2	.4	.10	.240	.33	188	24	16	339	8.2

a Mean daily discharge (cfs)

## LOS GATOS CREEK AT LOS GATOS (SEC. 29, T. 8 S., R. 1 W.)

Date of collection	'Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953																				
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrato-ride (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per mil-	Tons per acre-	Tons per foot	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per-	Specific conductance (micro-	pH	Col-	or
													mill.	per ac-	foot	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	sulfur	mines at 25°C			
Oct. 20, 1952 . . . . .	41	12	0.00	28	11	14	1.8	126	25	11	0.2	0.3	0.11	168	0.23	115	0	21	272	7.6	
Jan. 20, 1953 . . . . .	60	--	--	35	14	16	2.0	156	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	145	17	19	341	8.0	
Feb. 16 . . . . .	7.0	--	--	35	19	17	1.9	179	--	12	--	--	--	--	--	165	19	18	374	8.3	
Mar. 25 . . . . .	59	--	--	31	16	16	--	162	--	12	--	.05	--	--	--	143	10	20	339	7.8	
Apr. 21 . . . . .	56	--	--	34	14	16	--	160	--	9.5	--	.05	--	--	--	142	11	20	334	7.9	
May 13 . . . . .	8.6	.1	--	32	16	15	2.2	160	31	10	.2	1.0	.10	.186	.27	146	16	18	339	7.9	
Aug. 18 . . . . .	40	--	--	34	16	15	2.2	170	--	9.0	--	.06	--	--	--	151	11	18	343	7.8	
Sept. 24 . . . . .	52	9.0	--	33	17	15	2.0	171	28	10	.3	1.1	.06	.200	.27	152	12	17	349	7.8	

## COYOTE CREEK BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN COYOTE CREEK BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Date of collection	'Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953																				
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrato-ride (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per mil-	Tons per acre-	Tons per foot	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per-	Specific conductance (micro-	pH	Col-	or
													mill.	per ac-	foot	CaCO <sub>3</sub>	sulfur	mines at 25°C			
Oct. 20, 1952 . . . . .	41	12	0.00	28	11	14	1.8	126	25	11	0.2	0.3	0.11	168	0.23	115	0	21	272	7.6	
Jan. 20, 1953 . . . . .	60	--	--	35	14	16	2.0	156	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	145	17	19	341	8.0	
Feb. 16 . . . . .	7.0	--	--	35	19	17	1.9	179	--	12	--	--	--	--	--	165	19	18	374	8.3	
Mar. 25 . . . . .	59	--	--	31	16	16	--	162	--	12	--	.05	--	--	--	143	10	20	339	7.8	
Apr. 21 . . . . .	56	--	--	34	14	16	--	160	--	9.5	--	.05	--	--	--	142	11	20	334	7.9	
May 13 . . . . .	8.6	.1	--	32	16	15	2.2	160	31	10	.2	1.0	.10	.186	.27	146	16	18	339	7.9	
Aug. 18 . . . . .	40	--	--	34	16	15	2.2	170	--	9.0	--	.06	--	--	--	151	11	18	343	7.8	
Sept. 24 . . . . .	52	9.0	--	33	17	15	2.0	171	28	10	.3	1.1	.06	.200	.27	152	12	17	349	7.8	

## ALAMEDA CREEK BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN ALAMEDA CREEK BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mg- ne- sium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Parts per mil- lion	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Cal- cium, Non- mag- nesium	So- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or or PH
Oct. 21, 1952	32.0	15	0.00	78	52	79	4.9	39.8	140	75	0.2	0.1	0.82	640	0.87	408	82	29	1,040	8.0		
Jan. 20, 1953	119	-	--	53	24	45	2.7	24.4	--	39	--	--	--	230	30	30	611	8.1	729	8.1		
Jan. 28	60	12	--	61	30	53	2.5	28.7	84	48	.2	.31	.35	59	276	40	29	60	32	984	8.2	
Feb. 16	22	--	--	69	44	77	4.0	35.8	--	73	--	--	--	--	553	60	32	30	28	805	7.8	
Mar. 25	27	--	--	36	51	56	--	31.3	--	57	--	--	--	--	300	43	28	30	28	805	7.8	
Apr. 21	10	--	--	32	43	96	--	39.4	--	92	--	--	--	--	382	58	35	1,060	8.2	1,010	8.3	
May 13	5.6	14	.0	77	43	84	4.8	b380	119	89	.2	.8	.72	619	.84	369	57	33	1,040	8.0		
Aug. 18	2.4	--	--	85	47	83	5.3	42.4	--	73	--	--	.67	--	406	58	30	1,040	8.0	1,130	8.2	
Sept. 24	2.0	21	--	89	54	86	7.1	460	122	91	.3	.1	.86	687	.95	444	67	29	1,130	8.2		

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

b Includes equivalent of 23 parts per million of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub>).

## KERN RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN KERN RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mg- ne- sium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Parts per mil- lion	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Cal- cium, Non- mag- nesium	So- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or or PH
Oct. 16, 1952	371	17	0.00	20	1.6	20	1.6	89	17	8.8	0.3	0.2	0.14	130	0.18	56	0	43	202	7.8		
Jan. 13, 1953	1,093	--	--	20	3.1	19	1.8	95	--	9.5	--	--	--	--	63	0	38	204	7.8	203	7.7	
Feb. 11	789	--	--	20	3.4	19	1.8	96	--	9.2	--	--	--	--	64	0	38	203	7.7	200	8.1	
Mar. 18	568	--	--	19	3.6	20	--	92	--	9.5	--	--	.24	--	62	0	41	200	8.1	200	8.1	
Apr. 21	959	--	--	16	2.9	15	--	83	--	6.5	.3	.4	.16	--	52	0	39	176	7.7	142	7.9	
May 5	1,161	18	.0	14	2.1	12	1.4	70	9.0	4.2	--	.10	.98	--	44	0	37	156	7.2	156	7.2	
Aug. 10	363	--	--	13	1.9	14	1.5	61	--	7.0	--	.08	--	--	40	0	42	222	7.9	222	7.9	
Sept. 21	200	19	--	18	3.4	23	2.2	88	19	14	.3	.1	.18	142	.19	59	0	45	222	7.9		

## TULARE LAKE BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN TULARE LAKE BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Parts per mil- lion	Parts per mil- lion	Bar- ton (B)	Nit- rate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Fluo- ride (F)	Nitr- ite (NO <sub>2</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per- cent Calcium, magn., nitro- gen, carbon- ate and nitri- te	So- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Col- or	pH	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)
										Parts per mil- lion	Tons per day	Tons per foot													
Oct. 16, 1952, ...	46	31	0.00	30	22	4.0	236	5.8	1.3	0.2	0.1	0.12	244	0.33	165	0	.22	402	8.0						
Jan. 14, 1953, ...	735	--	--	17	1.8	8.2	1.9	74	--	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	25	134	7.7					
Feb. 11, 1953, ...	407	--	--	32	5.4	14	1.8	144	--	7.5	--	--	--	--	--	102	0	23	258	7.9					
Mar. 18, 1953, ...	86	--	--	36	5.3	16	--	162	--	9.2	--	--	.22	--	--	112	0	24	275	8.1					
Apr. 21, 1953, ...	123	--	--	29	4.3	11	--	126	--	5.5	--	--	.07	--	--	90	0	21	219	7.8					
May 5, 1953, ...	274	--	--	21	3.1	7.8	1.3	92	3.0	4.0	.1	.3	.03	.108	.15	65	0	20	155	7.9					
Aug. 11, 1953, ...	8.4	--	--	48	7.1	19	3.3	207	--	9.5	--	--	.05	--	--	149	0	21	356	7.8					
Sept. 22, 1953, ...	6.6	33	.09	56	9.5	22	3.3	248	4.9	13	.2	.1	.08	.264	.36	179	0	21	421	8.0					

TULE RIVER NEAR PORTERVILLE (SEC. 25, T. 21 S., R. 28 E.)

Oct. 15, 1952, ...	68	12	0.00	17	1.6	8.4	1.5	97	3.5	8.0	0.1	0.0	0.01	85	0.12	49	0	26	138	7.7				
Jan. 14, 1953, ...	1,030	--	--	9.7	1.4	5.2	1.3	41	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	30	0	26	79	7.3				
Feb. 10, 1953, ...	294	--	--	11	1.9	5.8	1.0	50	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	35	0	26	100	7.4				
Mar. 17, 1953, ...	287	--	--	11	1.3	5.4	--	48	--	2.9	--	--	.07	--	--	33	0	26	89	7.7				
Apr. 21, 1953, ...	654	--	--	6.9	.4	2.8	--	28	--	1.4	--	--	.06	--	--	19	0	24	51.8	7.4				
May 5, 1953, ...	1,080	11	--	13	5.0	1.1	2.4	.6	26	1.7	.8	.3	.00	.36	.05	17	0	23	46.4	7.4				
Aug. 11, 1953, ...	86	--	--	13	1.7	4.8	4.2	48	--	3.5	--	.03	--	.03	--	35	0	20	97.7	7.5				
Sept. 22, 1953, ...	45	17	--	17	2.0	7.4	1.7	65	3.7	9.0	.0	.1	.02	.90	.12	51	0	23	136	7.9				

KAWeah RIVER NEAR THREE RIVERS (SEC. 33, T. 17 S., R. 28 E.)

Oct. 15, 1952, ...	68	12	0.00	17	1.6	8.4	1.5	97	3.5	8.0	0.1	0.0	0.01	85	0.12	49	0	26	138	7.7				
Jan. 14, 1953, ...	1,030	--	--	9.7	1.4	5.2	1.3	41	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	30	0	26	79	7.3				
Feb. 10, 1953, ...	294	--	--	11	1.9	5.8	1.0	50	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	35	0	26	100	7.4				
Mar. 17, 1953, ...	287	--	--	11	1.3	5.4	--	48	--	2.9	--	--	.07	--	--	33	0	26	89	7.7				
Apr. 21, 1953, ...	654	--	--	6.9	.4	2.8	--	28	--	1.4	--	--	.06	--	--	19	0	24	51.8	7.4				
May 5, 1953, ...	1,080	11	--	13	5.0	1.1	2.4	.6	26	1.7	.8	.3	.00	.36	.05	17	0	23	46.4	7.4				
Aug. 11, 1953, ...	86	--	--	13	1.7	4.8	4.2	48	--	3.5	--	.03	--	.03	--	35	0	20	97.7	7.5				
Sept. 22, 1953, ...	45	17	--	17	2.0	7.4	1.7	65	3.7	9.0	.0	.1	.02	.90	.12	51	0	23	136	7.9				

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## TULARE LAKE BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN TULARE LAKE BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued									
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cali- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Pota- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)
KINGS RIVER ABOVE NORTH FORK (SEC. 27, T. 12 S., R. 26 E.)										
Oct. 16, 1952	232	6.9	0.00	8.0	0.8	3.8	1.1	30	4.9	2.0
Mar. 17, 1953	455	--	6.0	.7	4.5	--	28	1.9	--	0.1
Apr. 22	1,580	--	3.4	.2	2.8	--	16	1.2	--	0.2
May 6	2,470	6.8	.0	2.7	.5	1.8	.5	13	1.7	.4
Aug. 11	460	--	5.1	.3	2.2	.5	20	--	1.5	--
Sept. 22	158	9.6	.03	6.3	1.5	3.8	.9	27	4.7	3.5
KINGS RIVER AT PIEDRA (SEC. 8, T. 13 S., R. 24 E.)										
Oct. 16, 1952	626	12	0.00	9.0	1.8	5.0	1.0	42	3.5	2.8
Jan. 14, 1953	2,650	--	7.8	2.6	4.5	1.2	39	--	2.5	--
Feb. 10	832	--	6.8	1.5	4.5	.8	31	--	2.5	--
Mar. 17	810	--	5.5	1.5	4.1	--	32	--	2.5	--
Apr. 22	3,300	--	2.7	.6	2.8	--	15	--	.6	--
May 5	4,240	7.3	.0	2.7	.5	2.2	.6	16	1.6	.2
Aug. 11	542	--	5.1	.8	2.8	.8	21	--	2.0	--
Sept. 22	200	9.8	.01	6.7	2.3	3.8	1.0	30	4.4	4.0
KINGS RIVER AT PEOPLES WEIR (NEAR KINGSBURG) (SEC. 1, T. 17 S., R. 22 E.)										
Oct. 16, 1952	30	12	0.00	14	3.1	9.8	1.5	69	5.4	5.5
Jan. 13, 1953	353	--	--	12	1.1	14	1.6	64	--	5.0
Feb. 11	325	--	--	10	2.6	7.4	1.1	52	--	3.5
Mar. 18	182	--	--	10	2.6	6.3	--	53	--	4.2
Apr. 21	343	--	4.7	.0	4.0	.8	3.1	--	2.4	1.4
May 6	598	9.6	.0	4.0	4.7	.8	1.5	2.8	.7	2.4
Aug. 10	100	--	--	13	3.9	8.7	1.5	65	--	4.5
Sept. 21	52	26	--	25	8.3	20	2.7	139	11	11

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued									
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cali- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Pota- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)
Dissolved solids (sum)										
Oct. 16, 1952	232	6.9	0.00	8.0	0.8	3.8	1.1	30	4.9	2.0
Mar. 17, 1953	455	--	6.0	.7	4.5	--	28	1.9	--	0.1
Apr. 22	1,580	--	3.4	.2	2.8	--	16	1.2	--	0.2
May 6	2,470	6.8	.0	2.7	.5	1.8	.5	13	1.7	.4
Aug. 11	460	--	5.1	.3	2.2	.5	20	--	1.5	--
Sept. 22	158	9.6	.03	6.3	1.5	3.8	.9	27	4.7	3.5
Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>										
Oct. 16, 1952	232	6.9	0.00	8.0	0.8	3.8	1.1	30	4.9	2.0
Mar. 17, 1953	455	--	6.0	.7	4.5	--	28	1.9	--	0.1
Apr. 22	1,580	--	3.4	.2	2.8	--	16	1.2	--	0.2
May 6	2,470	6.8	.0	2.7	.5	1.8	.5	13	1.7	.4
Aug. 11	460	--	5.1	.3	2.2	.5	20	--	1.5	--
Sept. 22	158	9.6	.03	6.3	1.5	3.8	.9	27	4.7	3.5
Calcium, magnesium, sodium, and potassium (parts per million)										
Oct. 16, 1952	232	6.9	0.00	8.0	0.8	3.8	1.1	30	4.9	2.0
Mar. 17, 1953	455	--	6.0	.7	4.5	--	28	1.9	--	0.1
Apr. 22	1,580	--	3.4	.2	2.8	--	16	1.2	--	0.2
May 6	2,470	6.8	.0	2.7	.5	1.8	.5	13	1.7	.4
Aug. 11	460	--	5.1	.3	2.2	.5	20	--	1.5	--
Sept. 22	158	9.6	.03	6.3	1.5	3.8	.9	27	4.7	3.5
Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C.)										
Oct. 16, 1952	232	6.9	0.00	8.0	0.8	3.8	1.1	30	4.9	2.0
Mar. 17, 1953	455	--	6.0	.7	4.5	--	28	1.9	--	0.1
Apr. 22	1,580	--	3.4	.2	2.8	--	16	1.2	--	0.2
May 6	2,470	6.8	.0	2.7	.5	1.8	.5	13	1.7	.4
Aug. 11	460	--	5.1	.3	2.2	.5	20	--	1.5	--
Sept. 22	158	9.6	.03	6.3	1.5	3.8	.9	27	4.7	3.5
Soil adsorption ratio										
Oct. 16, 1952	232	6.9	0.00	8.0	0.8	3.8	1.1	30	4.9	2.0
Mar. 17, 1953	455	--	6.0	.7	4.5	--	28	1.9	--	0.1
Apr. 22	1,580	--	3.4	.2	2.8	--	16	1.2	--	0.2
May 6	2,470	6.8	.0	2.7	.5	1.8	.5	13	1.7	.4
Aug. 11	460	--	5.1	.3	2.2	.5	20	--	1.5	--
Sept. 22	158	9.6	.03	6.3	1.5	3.8	.9	27	4.7	3.5
Col- or										
Oct. 16, 1952	232	6.9	0.00	8.0	0.8	3.8	1.1	30	4.9	2.0
Mar. 17, 1953	455	--	6.0	.7	4.5	--	28	1.9	--	0.1
Apr. 22	1,580	--	3.4	.2	2.8	--	16	1.2	--	0.2
May 6	2,470	6.8	.0	2.7	.5	1.8	.5	13	1.7	.4
Aug. 11	460	--	5.1	.3	2.2	.5	20	--	1.5	--
Sept. 22	158	9.6	.03	6.3	1.5	3.8	.9	27	4.7	3.5

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER AT FRIANT, CALIF.

LOCATION--At gage 0.5 miles west of Friant, Fresno County, 1.5 miles downstream from Cottonwood Creek, and 2 miles downstream from Friant Dam.

DRAINAGE AREA--1,675 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE--Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953.

REMARKS--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285 as San Joaquin River below Friant, Calif.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH					
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Po- tas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Car- bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day	Percent so- dium	Percent non- carbon- ate	
Oct. 15, 1952	1,300	7.6	0.00	2.1	0.7	2.2	0.6	12	1.0	1.8	0.0	0.1	0.01	22	0.03	8	0	35	24.2	6.9
Dec. 6	105	8.0	.06	4.1	1.5	2.0	.7	18	1.5	3.0	.1	.9	.02	a.35	.05	16	2	20	45.5	6.9
Jan. 14, 1953	129	--	8.4	2.2	8.7	1.4	43	--	6.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	0	37	108	7.4
Feb. 10	525	--	4.1	1.3	4.5	.8	24	--	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	16	0	37	50.2	7.4
Mar. 17	904	--	4.6	.4	5.0	--	22	--	3.4	--	--	--	.05	--	--	13	0	45	49.2	7.4
Apr. 22	904	--	4.7	.3	4.5	--	21	--	4.0	--	--	.06	--	--	--	13	0	43	48.6	7.1
May 6	378	11	.0	3.6	1.2	4.8	.8	23	1.6	3.8	.1	.5	.01	.39	.05	13	0	41	50.1	7.4
May 15	394	--	--	4.6	.6	6.1	1.5	24	5.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	14	0	46	50.2	7.1
Aug. 12	198	--	--	4.7	.5	4.1	.7	21	--	4.5	--	--	.00	--	--	14	0	38	47.5	7.0
Sept. 23	1,230	11	.03	3.4	.6	2.8	.6	17	1.2	2.0	.0	.5	.07	30	.04	11	0	34	37.6	7.1

a Dissolved solids from residue on evaporation.

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR BIOLA, CALIF.

LOCATION.--At Skaggs Bridge, 1.9 miles upstream from gaging station, and about 2.5 miles northwest of Biola, Fresno County.

DRAINAGE AREA--1,805 square miles (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: November 1952 to September 1953.

Water temperature: November 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 117 ppm; minimum, 10 ppm Nov. 1-5, 7-10.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 53 ppm Jan. 3-10; minimum, 10 ppm Nov. 1-5, 7-10.

Hardness: Maximum, 53 ppm Jan. 11-13; minimum, 10 ppm Nov. 1-5, 7-10.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 90°F July 13, '16; minimum, 36°F Feb. 23-24, '28, Mar. 1-2.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Sacramento, Calif. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285. No appreciable inflow between sampling point and gaging station except during periods of heavy local runoff.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, November 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C.)												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C.)	Col- or pH				
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fuo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ton (B)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot				
Nov. 1-5, 7-10, 1952	452	--	2.9	0.7	5.4	1.8	20	2.0	4.5	--	1.2	--	38	0.05	49	0.7			
Nov. 11-20	408	8.1	0.0	5.0	5.8	1.1	23	2.0	6.5	0.0	4	0.14	40	0.05	42	0.6			
Nov. 21-28	254	--	5.7	1.4	6.1	1.2	28	2.0	6.2	--	2	--	32	0.06	38	0.6			
Dec. 16-23	147	--	14	4.2	12	2.7	72	6.7	9.2	--	2.0	--	52	.06	32	0.7			
Jan. 3-10, 1953	150	--	--	13	4.4	11	3.2	72	6.9	9.5	--	2.2	--	46	0.16	47	0.7		
Jan. 11-18	152	--	--	14	4.5	11	2.8	71	7.6	9.4	--	1.6	--	51	0	30	0.7		
Jan. 14-20	147	--	--	6.0	6.9	1.5	30	2.8	7.0	--	3	--	48	0.3	30	0.7			
Jan. 21-31	236	6.2	0.0	5.7	1.4	7.4	29	3.0	6.0	.2	1.5	.14	56	.08	22	0.6			
Feb. 1-10	418	5.5	.00	5.6	1.2	6.1	.9	26	1.7	5.8	.1	.3	45	.06	51	0	40	0.6	
Feb. 11-20	602	13	.02	6.0	1.3	4.7	1.2	26	2.3	6.5	.0	1.0	.13	48	.07	78	0	32	0.6
Feb. 21-28	813	12	.15	5.2	1.4	6.1	1.5	26	3.1	6.8	.0	.12	48	.07	105	0	39	0.6	
Mar. 1-8, 10	893	--	5.5	1.4	6.1	1.6	24	3.9	6.8	--	1.0	--	52	.07	125	0	38	0.6	
Mar. 9	883	--	--	--	8.2	2.4	18	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	102	0.6
Mar. 11-20	865	12	.10	6.9	1.2	6.1	1.7	21	2.5	9.0	.0	.4	.11	51	.07	122	0	35	0.6
Mar. 21-31	884	11	.2	6.0	1.7	8.2	3.2	22	2.6	12	.1	9.4	.00	67	.08	160	0	41	0.6
May 15-20	386	--	--	5.4	1.6	6.9	1.4	28	2.4	7.5	.1	.6	.11	51	.07	53	0	41	0.6
May 21-31	397	15	.0	5.0	1.1	7.4	1.3	27	1.9	6.5	.1	.4	.11	49	.07	53	0	46	0.6
June 1-10	395	13	.0	5.0	1.3	6.1	1.0	26	2.0	5.5	.1	.3	.12	48	.07	51	0	41	0.6
June 11-20	367	14	.0	5.0	1.3	6.9	1.2	28	2.2	5.8	.0	.3	.01	48	.07	48	0	44	0.6
June 21-30	332	14	.0	5.2	1.0	6.9	1.1	27	2.5	6.2	.1	4	.05	48	.07	43	0	45	0.6
July 1-10	201	7.7	.0	5.8	1.6	8.1	1.1	34	1.9	7.1	.1	.6	.19	54	.07	29	0	44	0.6
July 11-20	147	4.1	.0	5.8	1.6	8.7	1.2	37	2.3	6.2	.1	.2	.14	54	.07	21	0	46	0.6
July 21-31	127	8.0	.0	6.6	1.4	8.7	1.0	39	2.5	6.0	.0	.3	.08	54	.07	22	0	45	0.6

Aug. 1-10, 1953 ..	132	9.0	.0	6.4	1.7	7.8	1.0	39	2.9	5.5	.0	.2	.08	.54	.07	.19	23	0	41	.7	78.6	7.6			
Aug. 11-20 .....	167	8.7	.0	5.0	1.5	7.4	1.0	34	2.4	6.0	.0	.0	.10	.53	.07	.24	21	0	42	.7	77.7	7.3			
Aug. 21-31 .....	150	11	.00	4.6	1.6	4.5	.7	24	2.1	5.0	.1	.9	.06	.43	.06	.52	18	0	34	.5	55.8	7.1			
Sept. 1-10 .....	690	10	.00	4.2	1.1	4.8	.7	23	1.8	4.2	.1	.5	.10	.37	.05	.69	15	0	40	.5	63.2	7.1			
Sept. 11-20 .....	728	10	.02	4.2	1.1	4.5	1.1	22	1.5	4.0	.1	1.1	.14	.41	.06	.81	15	0	37	.5	49.9	6.8			
Sept. 21-30 .....	1,087	8.6	.04	3.0	1.6	3.8	1.2	20	2.0	3.5	.1	.7	.18	.38	.05	.108	14	0	35	.4	45.8	6.7			
Weighted average <sup>a</sup>	443	--	--	b5.3	b1.4	6.1	1.4	26	b2.5	6.6	--	b1.4	--	b49	b0.07	b58	19	b0	b39	b0.6	68.2	--			

a Represents 68 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

b Represents 67 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR BIOLA, CALIF.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, November 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		58	--	--	42	36		--	62	76	73	62
2		60	--	--	40	36		--	71	82	65	71
3		62		40	40	--		--	72	84	78	68
4		65	--	40	40	37		--	64	71	78	67
5		57	--	41	39	38		--	63	72	78	61
6		--	--	40	39	38		--	61	71	67	68
7		58	--	40	39	39		--	--	69	65	64
8		57	--	40	39	41		--	60	71	63	64
9		55	--	39	39	42		--	64	70	66	71
10		60	--	40	39	41		--	63	69	71	69
11		54	--	43	39	42		--	66	70	67	65
12		54	--	39	38	40		--	67	87	68	65
13		55	--	40	39	44		--	66	90	71	65
14		52	--	40	38	44		--	71	88	71	66
15		54	--	40	38	45		61	80	86	77	70
16		52	40	39	38	47		59	80	90	66	66
17		50	52	39	38	47		60	80	88	63	70
18		52	49	39	38	47		65	72	87	66	67
19		52	49	38	38	48		65	70	75	87	65
20		50	49	38	37	48		76	68	77	65	64
21		51	40	38	37	50		65	71	75	62	65
22		54	43	39	38	51		65	74	76	62	65
23		52	48	39	36	52		68	74	75	65	60
24		52	--	39	36	52		59	81	75	62	60
25		48	--	38	37	52		68	71	69	61	60
26		46	--	38	37	53		58	68	70	60	59
27		45	--	37	37	--		68	80	70	63	62
28		43	--	38	36	--		61	78	71	62	66
29		--	--	38	--	--		--	78	73	60	60
30		--	--	38	--	--		65	78	74	60	62
31		--	--	--	--	--		68	--	74	62	--
Aver-		54	--	39	38	44		--	71	77	67	65

SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER AT FIREBAUGH, CALIF.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses. Oct.-Nov., 1952. \*Inventories, 1952.

Water temperatures: October 1952 to January 1953.

REMARKS. --Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on advance

samples available in districts office.

Samples available in district offices, Sacramento, Calif. No disseminated.

site and nearest gaging station.

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## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN

Chemical analyses, in parts per million. October 1952 to May 1953

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN—Continued

MERCED RIVER NEAR STEVINSON, CALIF.

LOCATION.—At gage 6 miles northwest of Stevinson, Merced County, and 5 miles upstream from mouth.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—1,274 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953

given in WSP 1285.

Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953												Dissolved solids (sum)	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Tons per day	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Calcium, magnesium, neuston	Non-carbonate residue	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C.)	Col- or pH
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicar-bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Ni-trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor-on (B)									
Oct. 17, 1952	243	19	0.00	28	11	8.4	0.8	11.8	22	10	0.0	0.0	0.14	157	0.21	--	115	18	14	257	8.1	
Oct. 31	157	--	--	18	4.9	2.3	1.0	1.0	--	13	--	--	.16	--	--	--	65	0	47	250	7.9	
Jan. 15, 1953	1,310	--	--	11	5.0	7.8	1.0	3.6	--	6.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	48	2	26	123	7.5	
Feb. 12	257	--	--	18	6.9	25	1.8	10.8	--	14	--	--	--	--	--	--	73	0	42	239	8.1	
Mar. 19	196	--	--	17	5.2	26	--	10.1	--	16	--	--	.18	--	--	--	64	0	47	233	7.9	
Apr. 22	178	--	--	19	6.1	27	--	11.3	--	22	--	--	.01	--	--	--	72	0	45	265	7.5	
May 7	166	--	.0	19	5.6	28	2.0	11.4	8.5	20	.2	2.6	.23	.23	.02	.172	70	0	45	287	8.1	
May 15	183	--	--	15	5.0	20	1.9	9.8	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	58	0	42	201	7.5	
Aug. 12	142	--	--	17	4.7	28	1.6	9.9	--	23	--	.02	--	--	--	.02	62	0	49	222	7.5	
Sept. 23	219	26	--	17	5.2	29	1.7	9.8	7.7	28	.1	.2	.01	164	.22	.01	64	0	49	262	7.8	

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR VERNALIS, CALIF.

LOCATION.--At gaging station in El Pescadero Grant, at Durham Ferry highway bridge, 3 miles downstream from Stanislaus River, and 3.4 miles northwest of Vernalis, San Joaquin County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--14,010 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTRMS. 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 578 ppm April 1-10; minimum, 59 ppm June 21-23, 25-26.

Hardness: Maximum, 226 ppm April 1-10; minimum, 24 ppm June 21-23, 25-26.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,070 micromhos April 2; minimum daily, 60.0 micromhos June 21-23.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 77°F Sept. 27-29; minimum, 47°F Feb. 11.

EXTRMS. 1951-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 578 ppm April 1-10, 1953; minimum, 54 ppm June 1-10, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 226 ppm April 1-10, 1953; minimum, 23 ppm June 1-10, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 1,070 micromhos April 2, 1953; minimum daily, 60.0 micromhos June 21, 1953.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 78°F July 19, 1951; minimum, 39°F Jan. 10, 1952.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Sacramento, Calif. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cts)						Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)						Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>			Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)				
	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Fluoride (F)	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Col- or	
Oct. 1-9, 1952 . . .	1,563	--	37	17	69	4.2	148	43	103	--	2.4	0.34	391	0.53	1,670	182	41	47	2.4	
Oct. 10-20 . . . . .	2,134	25	0.00	27	12	53	3.1	113	37	72	0.1	1.8	291	.40	1,680	117	24	49	2.1	
Oct. 21-31 . . . . .	1,850	20	0.00	29	13	64	3.5	119	41	83	.2	2.4	b 315	.43	1,570	128	28	52	2.5	
Oct. 21-31 . . . . .	1,829	22	0.00	31	15	65	3.6	120	48	100	.1	1.6	380	.50	1,880	150	50	2.4	2.6	
Nov. 1-10 . . . . .	1,805	24	0.00	33	16	67	3.9	117	48	101	.1	1.0	359	.49	1,650	148	52	49	2.4	
Nov. 11-17 . . . . .	1,705	--	--	31	14	62	2.9	110	45	91	--	1.3	--	335	.46	1,720	135	45	49	2.3
Nov. 18-20 . . . . .	1,907	--	--	28	10	43	3.0	83	31	66	--	1.2	--	242	.33	1,680	111	43	45	1.8
Nov. 21-29 . . . . .	2,567	23	0.00	20	9.2	34	2.7	75	28	56	.0	.9	223	.29	1,570	98	26	45	1.8	
Nov. 21-29 . . . . .	2,726	--	--	21	10	40	2.6	78	32	60	.0	1.3	229	.31	1,780	94	30	47	1.8	
Nov. 30-Dec. 10 . . .	2,845	18	0.00	21	10	40	2.6	78	32	60	.0	1.3	229	.31	1,780	94	30	47	1.8	
Dec. 11-20 . . . . .	3,483	22	0.00	20	9.0	35	2.5	78	29	48	.0	1.2	202	.27	1,910	87	23	44	1.5	
Dec. 21-31 . . . . .	4,543	17	0.00	16	7.2	26	2.2	65	22	36	.0	1.2	157	.21	1,930	70	16	44	1.4	
Jan. 1-10, 1953 . . .	5,590	14	0.00	17	7.7	28	2.4	74	22	35	.0	1.2	171	.23	2,560	74	13	44	1.4	
Jan. 11-20 . . . . .	6,044	15	0.05	17	7.9	25	2.2	75	21	34	.1	1.9	--	--	2,760	75	13	41	1.3	
Jan. 20-4 . . . . .	6,740	--	--	16	6.1	22	1.7	72	--	27	--	--	--	--	655	6	42	1.2	237	
Jan. 21-31 . . . . .	6,221	12	0.00	16	7.7	25	2.1	69	22	34	.1	1.6	168	.23	2,820	72	15	42	1.3	
Feb. 1-10 . . . . .	5,196	12	.00	19	8.4	30	1.9	70	25	48	.1	1.1	193	.26	2,710	82	26	44	1.4	
Feb. 11-13 . . . . .	5,555	--	--	25	12	44	2.4	82	40	68	--	1.3	--	--	263	.36	5,250	112	45	1.8
Feb. 13 a . . . . .	3,440	--	--	25	16	52	2.0	98	--	70	--	--	--	--	138	.48	46	2.0	2.6	
Feb. 14-19 . . . . .	2,733	--	--	32	15	64	3.7	88	54	108	--	.4	--	--	366	.50	2,700	142	70	49
Feb. 21-28 . . . . .	2,535	13	--	23	11	49	2.3	79	40	71	.0	.9	--	--	257	.35	1,760	103	50	2.1

a Not included in weighted average.

b Sum of determined constituents.

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN—Continued

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR VERNALIS, CALIF.—Continued

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953—Continued												Dissolved solids (residue at 160°C)						Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>				
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Iron (Fe)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Pota- sium (K)	Sodium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Per- cent so- dium adsorp- tion	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or ph			
Mar. 1-6 1953.....	1,453	17	0.20	35	16	72	3.2	108	60	108	0.0	1.3	0.38	387	0.53	1,520	154	50	2.5	643	7.5		
Mar. 7-10.....	934	--	49	22	98	4.0	138	70	166	--	6.4	--	558	.76	1,410	213	100	49	2.9	891	7.7		
Mar. 11-20.....	1,112	30	.00	21	100	4.3	142	74	158	.0	4.4	.36	507	.69	1,600	202	85	51	3.1	854	7.7		
Mar. 12 a.....	1,120	--	--	45	19	79	--	138	--	153	--	.20	--	--	--	190	78	47	3.6	845	7.5		
Mar. 21-31.....	1,078	33	.00	46	20	94	6.1	146	62	153	.1	.39	.33	559	.73	1,570	197	78	50	2.9	842	7.5	
Apr. 1-10.....	704	40	.00	53	23	100	5.7	160	56	185	.1	2.5	.31	676	.98	1,100	226	96	48	2.9	942	7.6	
Apr. 11-20.....	910	30	.1	41	17	79	4.4	140	44	129	.2	.25	.19	451	.61	1,110	172	58	49	2.6	727	7.2	
Apr. 15 a.....	812	--	--	43	18	81	--	146	--	140	--	.20	--	--	--	182	62	49	2.6	779	7.6		
Apr. 21-22, 25-26.....	1,858	27	.0	37	16	75	4.6	130	41	119	.1	1.8	.17	401	.55	2,010	158	52	50	2.6	676	7.4	
Apr. 28.....	1,487	--	--	27	9.0	47	3.3	91	28	72	.24	1.7	--	261	.35	1,050	104	30	48	2.0	445	7.2	
Apr. 23-24, 27.....	7,855	--	--	12	3.8	16	2.1	50	9.1	24	--	1.1	--	112	.15	2,380	46	5	42	1.0	177	7.1	
Apr. 28-30.....	7,855	--	--	12	3.8	16	2.1	50	9.1	24	--	1.1	--	112	.15	2,380	46	5	42	1.0	177	7.1	
May 1-10.....	4,752	12	0	14	5.9	23	1.8	58	14	34	0	1.5	.06	189	.19	1,780	59	12	45	1.3	232	7.1	
May 1-12.....	4,010	14	0	13	5.2	20	1.5	54	15	29	.1	.5	.01	b125	.17	1,350	54	10	44	1.2	210	7.7	
May 11.....	2,835	--	--	19	7.8	34	2.1	52	22	52	--	.7	--	109	.27	1,590	79	22	47	1.7	333	7.2	
May 13-18-20.....	1,928	--	--	27	10	50	2.6	92	31	78	--	.9	--	275	.37	1,430	108	33	48	2.1	470	7.2	
May 14-17.....	1,482	--	--	38	15	68	3.4	127	42	107	--	1.2	--	386	.52	1,520	156	50	48	2.4	634	7.4	
May 15 a.....	1,400	--	--	38	16	71	3.4	136	--	113	--	--	--	--	--	161	50	48	2.4	673	7.4		
May 21, 22-31.....	2,410	14	0	24	11	44	2.7	96	27	64	.1	1.3	.10	245	.33	1,300	105	26	47	1.9	416	7.4	
May 22-23.....	3,040	--	--	17	6.0	29	1.9	64	18	43	--	.8	--	165	.22	1,350	67	15	48	1.5	285	7.5	
June 1-10.....	3,869	21	0	16	5.7	28	1.9	63	17	38	.2	.23	.21	1,620	.63	12	48	1.5	261	7.1			
June 11-20.....	4,481	12	0	13	5.3	22	1.7	51	13	33	.1	.3	.14	1,30	.18	1,570	54	12	46	1.3	219	6.9	
June 21-23, 25-26.....	8,324	--	--	6.8	2.3	7.4	1.0	27	3.8	10	--	.9	--	69	.08	1,330	24	2	39	1.7	82.3	7.0	
June 24, 27-30.....	4,482	--	--	10	4.4	17	1.2	44	13	24	--	.9	--	105	.14	1,270	43	7	45	1.1	171	7.1	
July 1, 6-8, 10.....	2,708	--	--	14	5.7	22	1.6	56	13	31	--	1.3	--	131	.18	1,958	58	12	44	1.3	218	7.2	
July 2-5, 9.....	3,978	--	--	9	6	4.4	1.5	13	43	8.4	22	--	.9	--	.97	.13	1,885	42	7	43	1.0	159	7.2
July 11-12.....	1,980	--	--	16	6.2	26	1.7	65	13	38	--	1.2	--	160	.22	847	65	12	46	1.4	260	7.3	
July 13-14.....	1,420	--	--	22	8.9	38	2.2	81	20	61	--	1.4	--	228	.31	887	92	25	47	1.7	373	7.7	
July 15-20.....	860	--	--	38	16	3.9	1.3	130	31	115	--	1.4	--	395	.34	161	64	46	46	2.2	637	8.0	
July 21-31.....	671	.0	43	19	79	4.4	--	149	140	.2	.6	.28	.64	487	.64	186	64	64	47	2.5	756	7.9	

a Not included in weighted average.

b Sum of determined constituents.

Aug. 1-10, 1953	734	28	.0	43	18	77	4.1	144	41	131	.1	1.4	.21	460	.63	912	182	64	47	2.5	730	7.5
Aug. 11-20	689	34	.05	44	18	83	4.2	149	41	136	.2	1.2	.23	472	.64	878	184	62	49	2.7	756	7.5
Aug. 13 a	665	--	--	46	18	83	3.8	156	--	142	--	.10	--	--	--	189	61	48	2.6	776	7.4	
Aug. 21-31	814	29	.00	40	17	81	4.1	144	44	127	.2	1.6	.23	450	.61	988	170	52	50	2.7	723	7.4
Sept. 1-10	952	30	.00	41	17	79	4.2	146	46	123	.2	1.8	.24	432	.59	1,110	172	51	49	2.6	712	7.6
Sept. 11 a	898	36	--	47	17	94	4.6	168	62	142	.2	3.5	.00	b 389	.67	1,190	188	50	51	3.0	810	8.3
Sept. 11-20	998	26	.00	41	18	83	4.2	166	48	127	.2	1.8	.23	446	.61	1,200	176	48	50	2.7	741	7.6
Sept. 21-30	1,328	31	.00	35	15	71	4.0	150	38	100	.1	2.3	.14	373	.51	1,340	149	26	50	2.5	694	7.5
Weighted average c	2,612	d 16	d 0.01	22	9.6	39	2.5	82	27	59	d 0.1	1.4 e 0.18	229	0.31	1,610	94	28	47	1.7	381	--	

a Not included in weighted average.

b Sum of determined constituents.

c Represents 100 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

d Represents 75 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

e Represents 76 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR VERNALIS, CALIF.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement at 7:30 a.m. /

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	70	60	53	49	50	58	64	57	65	65	73	71
2	73	59	51	50	50	52	65	59	62	67	74	73
3	70	57	51	51	50	50	64	60	62	68	70	74
4	70	57	51	50	52	52	64	64	63	69	69	73
5	69	58	53	50	52	--	64	64	63	69	70	70
6	--	59	50	49	52	55	58	66	64	70	69	70
7	--	57	51	50	63	--	57	60	64	69	70	70
8	--	57	51	50	62	58	55	57	61	70	72	71
9	66	55	51	53	49	58	56	58	61	70	74	72
10	--	57	51	54	49	59	55	58	63	69	75	73
11	69	56	50	55	47	50	55	59	62	70	74	75
12	59	58	51	54	49	55	59	61	61	72	73	75
13	60	56	51	55	50	56	65	62	64	71	73	74
14	61	58	51	54	54	58	62	65	64	73	72	75
15	62	56	51	51	53	58	62	65	66	74	71	72
16	63	52	51	51	53	58	63	65	68	74	70	71
17	66	52	--	50	51	58	63	64	65	75	71	70
18	62	52	50	50	51	58	62	62	65	74	72	72
19	63	53	51	51	48	58	65	66	65	75	72	70
20	63	52	51	53	58	58	64	63	65	75	72	71
21	63	52	50	51	49	57	65	63	62	76	70	69
22	64	52	51	50	50	49	62	60	63	75	71	70
23	62	50	48	50	55	60	67	60	65	75	72	69
24	63	50	49	51	--	60	68	60	67	74	72	62
25	63	51	49	49	52	60	68	62	66	72	69	67
26	63	49	49	50	50	64	68	--	64	71	73	67
27	61	50	50	50	54	60	62	62	65	72	70	77
28	61	50	50	49	54	60	65	63	65	71	69	77
29	63	51	--	49	--	58	62	61	66	75	68	77
30	61	--	50	49	--	59	59	64	65	71	70	66
31	61	--	49	50	--	60	--	66	--	72	70	--
Average	64	54	51	51	52	57	62	62	64	72	71	71

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MOKEJUNNE RIVER AT WOODBRIDGE, CALIF.

LOCATION.--At dam of Woodbridge Irrigation District, San Joaquin County, 0.4 mile upstream from gaging station at Woodbridge.

DRAINAGE AREA.--644 square miles (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses; March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 68 ppm Dec. 12, 15; minimum, 31 ppm Nov. 21-30, Sept. 21-30.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 34 ppm Feb. 1, 3; minimum, 13 ppm Nov. 21-30.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 202 micromhos Dec. 15; minimum daily, 35.1 micromhos Sept. 13.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 70°F July 16, 20, 27-28, Sept. 14; minimum, 43°F Jan. 4, 30, Feb. 21-30.

EXTREMES, 1951-53.--Dissolved solids: Maximum, 68 ppm Dec. 12, 15; minimum, 30 ppm June 1-10, 11-20, July 1-10, 11-20, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 34 ppm Feb. 1, 3; minimum, 15.5 ppm Dec. 15, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 202 micromhos Dec. 15, 1952; minimum daily, 29.4 micromhos July 9, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 85°F July 17, 1951; minimum, 40°F July 21, 1952.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Sacramento, Calif. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953.

Date of collection	Chemical analyses										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C.)									
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Iron (Fe)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Fluo- ride (F)	Bo- ron (B)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Fluo- ride (F)	Bo- ron (B)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)
Oct. 1-10, 1952	334	7.4	0.10	4.0	1.5	3.6	1.0	20	3.5	2.8	0.1	0.0	0.17	40	0.05	36	16	0	20	0.4
Oct. 11-20	332	6.3	.10	4.4	1.4	3.1	.8	20	4.4	2.0	.1	.3	.07	38	.05	34	16	0	28	.3
Oct. 21-31	355	7.1	.10	4.4	1.5	3.4	1.1	21	3.8	2.2	.1	.0	.08	38	.05	36	17	0	29	.4
Nov. 1-10	431	8.1	.00	6.2	1.4	2.8	1.3	15	5.0	6.8	.0	.5	.14	39	.05	45	21	0	21	.3
Nov. 11-20	560	9.5	.00	5.1	1.1	3.2	1.6	15	4.4	7.0	.0	.5	.11	35	.05	53	17	5	21	.3
Nov. 21-30	592	--	--	5.6	.9	3.2	.8	18	2.7	4.2	--	.3	--	31	.04	50	13	0	33	.4
Dec. 1-4, 6-8, 10	587	--	--	3.7	1.2	3.2	1.3	14	3.8	7.0	--	.5	--	40	.05	63	14	3	30	.4
Dec. 5, 9	611	--	--	5.0	2.0	3.8	2.1	6	6.6	14	--	.7	--	48	.07	79	21	16	26	.4
Dec. 11, 20	708	--	--	6.0	2.3	4.1	3.3	4	11	13	--	1.4	--	64	.09	122	24	21	24	.4
Dec. 12, 15	526	--	--	5.8	2.0	3.8	1.8	0	7.6	24	--	.8	--	68	.09	96	33	19	33	.3
Dec. 13, 14, 16-18	614	--	--	4.8	1.6	3.4	1.6	20	9.5	3.8	--	.6	--	57	.08	94	18	2	27	.4
Dec. 21-23	425	--	--	--	--	2.2	2.9	8	--	22	--	--	--	--	--	26	--	--	--	100
Dec. 22-23	404	--	--	6.8	3.1	1.6	1.3	19	13	3.5	--	.3	--	54	.07	59	30	14	10	.1
Dec. 24-31	584	--	--	5.0	1.7	3.1	.9	20	5.0	3.8	--	.0	--	39	.05	61	20	3	26	.3
Jan. 1-10, 1953	615	7.8	.20	5.7	1.9	2.0	1.2	21	6.3	3.5	.0	.4	.09	42	.06	70	22	5	16	.2
Jan. 11-20	747	6.2	.20	6.0	1.8	3.4	1.0	21	6.5	5.0	.0	.9	.18	47	.06	95	23	6	24	.3
Jan. 21-31	1,287	9.2	.05	6.5	1.6	3.4	1.1	23	4.1	4.5	.1	.4	.11	45	.06	154	22	4	24	.3
Feb. 1, 3	630	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.0	1.3	23	--	.6	--	--	--	--	34	--	--	6.9
Feb. 2, 4	610	--	--	--	--	--	--	6.8	1.9	7.5	.0	.07	.82	25	--	7	24	--	--	6.7
Feb. 11-20	648	5.3	.05	6.5	1.5	3.1	1.2	23	4.1	4.2	.0	.3	.13	40	.05	70	20	1	24	.3
Feb. 21-28	631	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.6	1.1	12	--	.4	--	--	--	29	--	--	--	106
Feb. 22-28	457	6.0	.15	5.7	1.5	3.4	1.1	22	4.7	5.2	.0	.11	.43	--	--	--	53	.9	.3	53.9

a Includes 10 parts per million free mineral acidity as H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MOKELMINE RIVER AT WOODBRIDGE, CALIF. --Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C.)										Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C.)			Color pH		
	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Percent sodium adsorption ratio	Percent sodium carbonate	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Soil-sodium adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C.)	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C.)	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C.)			
Mar. 1-2, 4-10, 1953	5.8	0.10	5.7	1.3	3.8	1.0	23	4.6	4.2	0.0	0.0	0.14	41	0.06	41	--	28	1	53.9	7.0	--	--	--			
Mar. 3.....	370	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	141	6.9	55.7	7.3	55.7			
Mar. 11-20.....	380	16	6.0	1.0	4.5	1.0	23	5.5	4.5	0	.6	.08	.14	.42	.06	.42	.22	22	3	55.4	7.0	55.4	7.0	55.4		
Mar. 21-31.....	370	12	6.1	1.6	3.4	.8	23	4.7	4.5	.1	.2	.12	.41	.06	.25	.23	4	23	4	54.6	7.3	54.6	7.3	54.6		
Apr. 1-10.....	223	13	.05	6.5	1.7	3.4	.9	24	4.0	5.5	.1	.8	.05	.40	.05	.40	.21	26	3	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9		
Apr. 11-20.....	194	10	.05	5.5	1.7	3.4	.8	23	3.5	3.8	.0	.4	.06	.42	.06	.26	.23	4	24	3	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	
Apr. 21-30.....	232	9.4	0	.56	2.2	3.4	.8	23	4.7	5.2	.0	.4	.06	.42	.06	.26	.23	4	24	3	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	
May 1-10.....	285	11	0	4.9	1.9	3.8	1.0	24	4.5	3.8	0	.4	.05	.42	.06	.32	.20	0	28	4	60.1	6.9	60.1	6.9	60.1	
May 11-20.....	328	9.9	0	5.6	1.5	3.4	1.1	25	3.4	4.0	.1	.2	.07	.39	.05	.35	.20	0	26	3	52.2	7.2	52.2	7.2	52.2	
May 21-31.....	855	15	1.6	3.4	.8	2.3	.9	24	2.6	3.2	.0	.0	.11	.42	.06	.97	.19	27	3	52.4	6.9	52.4	6.9	52.4		
June 1-10.....	1,214	16	0	4.8	1.5	3.1	.9	21	2.6	3.2	.0	.0	.09	.40	.05	.131	.18	0	26	3	50.1	7.0	50.1	7.0	50.1	
June 11-20.....	1,333	8.4	0	4.8	1.5	2.8	.8	21	2.4	4.2	.1	.4	.06	.39	.05	.140	.18	1	24	3	47.7	6.9	47.7	6.9	47.7	
June 21-30.....	1,619	8.1	0	4.8	1.4	2.8	.8	22	1.9	2.5	.0	.5	.02	.36	.05	.157	.16	0	26	3	42.3	6.8	42.3	6.8	42.3	
July 1-10.....	556	9.1	0	4.4	1.5	2.8	.8	21	1.8	3.5	0	.2	.04	.37	.05	.56	.17	0	25	3	43.3	7.1	43.3	7.1	43.3	
July 11-20.....	115	8.2	0	4.4	1.2	3.4	.8	22	1.8	3.0	.0	.1	.06	.45	.06	.14	.16	0	30	4	44.0	7.1	44.0	7.1	44.0	
July 21-31.....	46.5	12	0	4.6	1.6	2.6	.9	21	2.6	3.8	.0	.4	.04	.37	.05	.46	.18	1	23	3	56.9	7.0	56.9	7.0	56.9	
Aug. 1-10.....	73.3	11	0	4.6	1.6	2.0	.9	21	2.7	3.5	.0	.0	.05	.36	.05	.7.1	.18	1	18	2	50.4	7.2	50.4	7.2	50.4	
Aug. 11-20.....	77.0	8.9	0	4.6	1.6	2.0	.8	20	3.4	3.2	.0	.0	.04	.36	.05	.7.5	.18	2	19	1	44.2	7.1	44.2	7.1	44.2	
Aug. 21-31.....	109	9.5	.00	4.2	1.6	2.4	.6	21	2.6	2.2	.0	.4	.06	.36	.05	.11	.17	0	23	2	44.3	7.2	44.3	7.2	44.3	
Sept. 1-2, 4, 8-10, 1953	144	--	--	4.2	1.6	2.4	.5	19	3.1	3.2	--	.2	--	.37	.05	.14	.17	0	23	2	42.9	7.1	42.9	7.1	42.9	
Sept. 3, 5, 7.....	186	--	--	3.8	1.6	2.4	.6	19	3.8	2.2	.0	.6	--	.36	.05	.18	.16	1	24	2	39.2	7.4	39.2	7.4	39.2	
Sept. 11-20.....	235	7.1	.00	3.8	1.6	2.0	.8	18	3.5	3.0	.1	.1	.07	.33	.04	.21	.16	1	20	2	36.0	7.1	36.0	7.1	36.0	
Sept. 21-30.....	253	9.0	.03	3.4	1.3	2.2	.8	17	2.8	1.5	.1	.3	.14	.31	.04	.21	.14	0	24	.3	38.3	6.7	38.3	6.7	38.3	
Weighted average b	493	c 9.6	c 0.04	d 5.1	d 1.5	3.1	1.0	21	d 3.9	4.5	c 0.0	d 0.3	c 0.09	d 41	d 0.06	d 54	19	d 2	d 25	d 25	d 0.3	54.1	--	--	--	--

b Represents 100 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

c Represents 82 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

d Represents 88 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MOKELOMNE RIVER AT WOODBRIDGE, CALIF.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement at 6:30 a.m.<sup>1/</sup>

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	64	60	53	48	47	49	54	54	53	58	68	66
2	66	61	48	50	46	46	45	53	54	58	68	67
3	66	65	55	50	49	48	54	54	52	58	65	65
4	65	64	50	43	49	47	55	55	54	61	69	65
5	65	58	48	48	49	48	58	54	54	63	66	66
6	64	58	50	45	49	48	48	58	55	60	67	66
7	64	56	50	45	50	50	45	58	56	60	65	64
8	64	56	50	53	--	50	53	58	53	63	63	66
9	62	57	50	54	45	51	50	55	53	63	68	66
10	60	57	50	59	44	50	47	56	53	63	67	67
11	60	58	52	50	46	50	48	56	52	64	67	67
12	60	56	55	55	44	48	50	58	55	65	67	68
13	58	54	50	59	46	48	51	56	55	60	68	69
14	58	56	52	49	48	46	55	60	58	64	66	70
15	60	56	54	48	45	50	55	58	56	64	66	69
16	61	55	50	48	46	51	55	56	57	70	62	66
17	60	54	50	49	48	49	55	57	58	68	62	66
18	--	55	50	50	45	51	53	58	58	68	62	65
19	60	55	50	51	44	50	54	58	55	68	62	64
20	60	55	49	53	44	48	55	58	55	70	62	65
21	60	50	45	49	43	49	55	58	58	69	58	63
22	60	48	50	48	48	51	56	55	59	69	58	63
23	57	50	46	--	49	53	49	55	59	68	65	63
24	58	--	48	49	45	55	50	50	58	69	66	64
25	59	48	50	50	48	54	58	50	59	65	66	62
26	64	49	49	49	46	54	49	52	55	67	65	63
27	58	48	56	46	49	55	56	53	56	70	66	63
28	58	48	49	46	49	51	54	--	58	70	66	60
29	58	48	50	48	--	55	55	54	58	69	65	61
30	58	50	52	43	--	54	54	55	49	69	65	62
31	58	--	48	47	--	54	--	58	--	69	65	--
Aver-												
age	61	55	50	49	47	50	53	56	56	65	65	65

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER AT ANTIOCH, CALIF.

LOCATION.--At tidal gage at Antioch, Contra Costa County, and 4.5 miles from mouth.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Tidal gage maintained and operated by State of California Division of Water Resources.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Cal-cium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Mag-ne-sium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potas-sium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicar-bonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chlo-ride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Fluo-ride ( $\text{F}^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Dissolved solids (sum)		Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, mag-nesium	Non-carbon-ate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	So-dium adsorp-tion ratio	pH	Col-or
													Boron (B)	Bo-ron (B)										
Oct. 21, 1952, ....	18	0.00	20	16	75	4.2	104	30	119	0.1	0.4	0.11	334	0.45	--	--	116	31	57	604	7.3	7.4		
Jan. 22, 1953, ....	--	--	19	9.2	22	1.9	64	--	33	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	85	33	35	280	7.4	7.4		
Feb. 13, ....	--	--	17	9.0	22	1.6	76	--	28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	79	17	37	268	7.2	7.2		
Mar. 11, ....	15	.4	11	6.2	13	1.3	58	11	18	.1	.4	.09	105	.14	53	5	53	34	172	7.7	7.7			
Mar. 24, ....	--	--	14	8.9	18	--	76	--	23	--	--	.05	--	--	--	--	72	9	35	229	7.4	7.4		
Apr. 13, ....	--	--	13	6.8	15	--	67	--	18	--	--	.05	--	--	--	--	60	6	35	195	7.0	7.0		
Aug. 20, ....	--	--	25	30	218	1.8	76	--	182	--	--	.00	--	--	--	--	186	124	72	1,320	7.1	7.1		
Sept. 14, ....	17	--	24	31	212	10	94	65	392	.1	2.5	.18	770	1.05	--	--	188	110	70	1,460	7.5	7.5		
Sept. 15, ....	16	--	19	21	109	6.7	96	41	184	.2	.9	.12	445	.61	134	56	62	858	7.6	7.6				
Sept. 16, ....	19	--	18	12	40	2.5	106	22	56	.0	.5	.09	222	.30	--	--	94	7	47	397	8.1	8.1		
Sept. 17, ....	20	--	18	11	41	2.7	107	23	50	.2	.5	.06	219	.30	--	--	90	2	49	385	8.1	8.1		

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953												Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$					
	SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR MENDOTA (SEC. 7, T. 13 S., R. 15 E.)				Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$													
Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrato (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Percent calcium	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH		
Oct. 17, 1952 ...	88	8.0	0.00	4.2	0.9	4.3	0.6	21	2.2	3.4	0.0	0.4	0.02	34	0.05	14	0	38	47.1	7.1		
Jan. 16, 1953 ...	130	--	--	3.8	1.8	2.2	0.6	65	--	17	5.8	--	--	--	--	53	0	44	194	7.6		
Feb. 11, ...	46	--	--	6.0	2.2	9.2	1.0	36	--	4.3	--	--	--	--	--	24	0	44	78.3	7.2		
Mar. 18, ...	120	--	--	5.1	1.3	6.1	--	28	--	23	--	--	.12	.06	--	18	0	42	62.1	7.4		
Apr. 20, ...	306	--	--	11	3.2	15	--	41	--	79	33	--	.5	.01	.29	41	7	45	168	7.2		
May 6, ...	303	14	.0	20	8.7	40	2.4	78	--	56	.1	.01	.24	.01	.29	86	21	50	371	7.4		
Aug. 12, ...	310	.07	18	8.8	27	1.8	2.2	22	2.1	35	.1	.02	.08	.02	.02	81	17	41	302	7.4		
Sept. 23, ...	213	7.0	.07	4.2	8.1	4.1	1.1	22	3.5	.1	.2	.02	.02	.02	.02	15	0	36	47.2	7.3		

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953												Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$						
	SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR DOS PALOS (SEC. 12, T. 11 S., R. 13 E.)				Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$														
Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrato (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Percent calcium	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH			
Oct. 17, 1952 ...	7.5	15	0.00	23	8.5	43	2.6	98	29	54	0.0	0.2	0.12	224	0.30	92	12	49	398	7.4			
Jan. 16, 1953 ...	157	--	--	15	3.3	16	2.0	66	--	16	--	--	--	--	--	51	0	39	174	7.5			
Feb. 11, ...	59	--	--	9.9	4.0	15	1.4	50	--	12	--	--	--	--	--	41	0	43	153	7.4			
Mar. 19, ...	8	--	--	11	2.9	15	4.8	--	--	13	--	--	.05	.05	--	39	0	45	145	7.7			
Apr. 20, ...	1.3	--	--	13	5.0	21	--	48	--	28	--	--	.06	.06	--	53	14	46	217	7.2			
May 7, ...	2.5	12	--	20	6.5	30	1.7	73	28	38	.0	.6	.13	.173	.24	77	17	45	302	7.8			
Aug. 12, ...	1.2	--	--	21	6.2	28	1.6	78	--	32	--	.08	.08	.08	--	78	14	43	221	7.4			
Sept. 23, ...	7.4	11	.07	13	3.9	20	1.5	66	18	.1	.8	.08	.08	.08	.177	.16	48	3	46	200	7.1		

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR STEVENVSON (SEC. 12, T. 7 S., R. 10 E.)

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953												Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$					
	BEAR CREEK NEAR STEVENVSON (SEC. 36, T. 7 S., R. 10 E.)				Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$													
Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrato (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Percent calcium	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH		
Oct. 17, 1952 ...	164	18	0.00	22	8.0	28	3.3	149	8.2	12	0.3	1.2	0.05	174	0.24	88	0	40	282	7.4		
Feb. 12, 1953 ...	77	--	--	30	14	42	2.6	206	--	28	--	--	--	--	--	132	0	40	441	8.3		
Apr. 22, ...	54	--	--	32	6.7	33	--	149	--	18	--	--	.13	.13	--	82	0	47	315	7.5		
May 7, ...	67	26	.1	25	9.3	48	3.0	185	20	26	.5	2.5	.04	.251	.34	101	0	50	404	7.7		
Aug. 12, ...	9	27	--	26	13	106	2.5	150	--	90	.212	.9	.05	.05	--	116	0	65	691	7.5		
Sept. 23, ...	94	20	--	8.2	31	2.4	150	9.9	12	.3	.7	.01	.185	.25	.84	0	44	236	7.7			

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boronate (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Parts per million	Tons per day	Percent calcium carbonate	Specific conductance (nitrogen-minerals at 25°C)	pH
Oct. 14, 1952	75	3.7	0.00	7.2	1.9	3.1	0.6	32	1.7	1.4	0.0	0.5	0.03	36	0.05	40	0	20	60.3	7.2		
Jan. 20, 1953	--	--	9.7	2.8	2.8	.9	39	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	34	0	13	78.1	7.5	
Feb. 9	27	--	10	2.2	3.6	.7	44	--	2.8	--	--	--	.02	--	--	--	32	0	18	86.7	7.5	
Mar. 16	986	--	8.4	2.6	3.1	--	36	--	2.8	--	--	--	.01	--	--	--	28	0	18	77.8	7.3	
Apr. 23	1,100	--	7.6	2.2	3.1	--	34	--	2.0	.1	.0	.01	.01	.01	.01	.01	15	0	16	67.4	7.2	
May 8	1,250	8.4	.0	4.0	1.2	.6	19	2.0	1.2	.1	.0	.01	.01	.01	.01	.01	10	0	29	35.2	7.1	
Aug. 13	1,650	--	3.2	.5	2.0	.3	14	--	.5	.2	.0	.03	.03	.03	.03	.03	25	0	14	28.7	6.8	
Sept. 24	1,210	11	--	6.7	2.0	1.9	.8	30	2.1	2.2	.0	.3	.00	.42	.06	.06	25	0	14	57.9	7.0	

## MERCED RIVER AT EXCHEQUER DAM (SEC. 23, T. 4 S., R. 15 E.)

Oct. 14, 1952	75	3.7	0.00	7.2	1.9	3.1	0.6	32	1.7	1.4	0.0	0.5	0.03	36	0.05	40	0	20	60.3	7.2	
Jan. 20, 1953	--	--	9.7	2.8	2.8	.9	39	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	34	0	13	78.1	7.5
Feb. 9	27	--	10	2.2	3.6	.7	44	--	2.8	--	--	--	.02	--	--	--	32	0	18	86.7	7.5
Mar. 16	986	--	8.4	2.6	3.1	--	36	--	2.8	--	--	--	.01	--	--	--	28	0	18	77.8	7.3
Apr. 23	1,100	--	7.6	2.2	3.1	--	34	--	2.0	.1	.0	.01	.01	.01	.01	.01	15	0	29	35.2	7.1
May 8	1,250	8.4	.0	4.0	1.2	.6	19	2.0	1.2	.1	.0	.01	.01	.01	.01	.01	10	0	29	28.7	6.8
Aug. 13	1,650	--	3.2	.5	2.0	.3	14	--	.5	.2	.0	.03	.03	.03	.03	.03	25	0	14	57.9	7.0
Sept. 24	1,210	11	--	6.7	2.0	1.9	.8	30	2.1	2.2	.0	.3	.00	.42	.06	.06	25	0	14	57.9	7.0

## SAN JOAQUIN RIVER NEAR GRAYSON (SEC. 24, T. 4 S., R. 7 E.)

Oct. 21, 1952	675	27	0.00	44	19	8.7	3.7	123	3.2	182	116	0.2	2.4	0.23	584	0.79	213	55	55	988	7.7
Jan. 20, 1953	--	--	47	26	129	3.1	173	--	41	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	83	4	48	363	7.8
Feb. 9	1,040	--	56	34	164	--	159	--	170	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	224	82	82	1,060	7.8
Mar. 12	490	--	43	21	114	--	166	--	144	--	--	--	.24	--	--	--	280	149	56	1,306	6.1
Apr. 16	460	--	43	21	109	.7	169	104	--	137	2.3	.2	.23	.23	.23	.23	202	66	56	942	7.6
May 7	600	23	.0	43	21	109	.7	180	--	188	--	.8	.8	.72	.72	.72	194	56	54	885	8.1
Aug. 13	270	--	50	27	137	3.4	180	--	157	57	.92	.2	.16	.16	.16	.16	236	88	56	1,110	8.1
Sept. 24	620	24	--	33	16	.77	2.7	157	.77	2.7	.92	.2	.16	.16	.16	.16	148	20	52	653	7.8

## TUOLUMNE RIVER AT LA GRANGE (SEC. 20, T. 3 S., R. 14 E.)

Oct. 8, 1952	1,880	5.0	0.00	2.3	0.6	1.5	0.5	13	0.9	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.04	18	0.02	8	0	27	23.8	7.0	
Oct. 14	1,460	5.3	.00	2.4	1.0	1.4	1.5	14	1.4	2.0	.0	.8	.00	23	.03	9	0	34	32.5	6.7	
Jan. 16, 1953	--	--	--	4.7	1.9	.6	.7	28	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	22	0	15	52.7	7.0
Feb. 9	1,620	--	--	5.3	2.6	2.4	.7	30	--	1.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	24	0	17	57.9	7.3
Mar. 16	1,670	--	--	4.2	1.7	2.4	--	24	--	1.5	--	--	.01	--	--	--	18	0	23	46.7	7.2
Apr. 23	a 1,680	--	--	3.7	1.2	2.4	--	22	--	1.5	--	--	.03	--	--	--	14	0	27	37.7	7.2
May 8	a 2,460	9.5	.0	3.0	1.5	.5	.5	17	1.5	.5	.1	.4	.00	.27	.04	.12	0	20	35.6	7.3	
Aug. 12	a 2,310	--	--	3.0	1.0	1.5	.5	17	.5	.5	.1	.4	.00	--	--	--	8	1	24	20.2	6.5
Sept. 24	a 2,200	6.9	--	2.5	.1	.3	.3	13	.7	1.0	.0	.1	.02	.02	.03	.03	10	0	18	25.0	6.7
Oct. 16, 1953	a 2,100	6.9	--	2.5	.1	.3	.3	13	.7	1.0	.0	.1	.02	.02	.03	.03	10	0	18	25.0	6.7

<sup>a</sup> Mean daily discharge (cfs).

TUOLUMNE RIVER AT HICKMAN (SEC. 34, T. 3 S., R. 11 E.)

Oct. 14, 1952	2,750	12	0.00	7.4	2.8	11	1.3	32	2.0	19	0.0	0.0	0.0	71	0.10	30	4	43	114	6.9
Jan. 16, 1953	1,630	--	--	6.4	3.9	4.3	.8	37	--	6.0	--	--	--	--	--	32	2	22	83.4	7.4
Feb. 9	1,320	--	--	7.0	3.1	6.5	.9	38	--	9.2	--	--	--	--	--	32	1	98.0	516	7.1
Mar. 12	195	--	--	30	11	52	--	97	--	105	--	--	--	.05	--	120	40	48	516	8.0
Apr. 23	938	--	--	26	8.8	48	--	87	87	98	--	--	--	.07	--	101	30	51	471	7.7
May 8	127	33	.0	24	9.6	47	80	3.5	92	.1	.8	.06	.253	.34	.99	34	49	443	7.5	
Aug. 18	104	--	30	9.0	53	5.2	100	--	106	--	--	.06	--	--	112	30	49	517	7.6	
Sept. 24	100	50	--	30	12	55	5.1	105	3.2	112	.1	.3	.06	.319	.43	124	38	48	539	8.2

TUOLUMNE RIVER AT TUOLUMNE CITY (SEC. 7, T. 4 S., R. 8 E.)

Oct. 21, 1952	3,901	33	0.00	16	4.8	24	2.1	104	6.7	11	0.1	3.4	0.22	.152	0.21	60	0	.46	220	7.5
Jan. 20, 1953	a 2,130	--	--	15	3.5	16	1.7	50	--	31	--	--	--	--	--	52	11	39	187	7.3
Feb. 13	1,550	--	--	17	5.7	25	1.9	61	--	45	--	--	--	--	--	66	16	44	259	7.3
Mar. 12	a 375	--	--	43	14	76	--	126	--	156	--	--	--	.09	--	166	62	50	730	8.0
Apr. 16	a 295	--	--	48	14	80	--	142	--	162	--	--	.13	--	--	178	61	50	780	7.4
May 7	524	22	.0	31	9.4	81	3.9	96	7.8	107	.1	3.0	.07	.286	.39	116	37	50	532	8.0
Aug. 13	a 352	--	--	47	13	81	5.5	154	.154	152	--	--	.04	.04	--	171	45	50	744	7.3
Sept. 24	a 364	40	--	41	15	71	5.3	145	.145	136	.2	.8	.08	.388	.53	164	45	47	680	7.5

TUOLUMNE RIVER AT MAZE ROAD BRIDGE (SEC. 29, T. 3 S., R. 7 E.)

Oct. 21, 1952	1,125	18	0.00	31	13	64	3.2	119	48	95	0.2	1.8	0.16	333	0.45	131	34	51	604	7.7
Jan. 20, 1953	4,650	--	--	17	6.4	29	2.3	108	--	35	--	--	--	--	--	69	7	275	7.5	
Feb. 13	2,100	--	--	29	14	65	2.3	108	--	90	--	--	--	--	--	130	42	52	585	8.0
Mar. 12	600	--	--	55	26	132	--	154	--	215	--	--	--	.36	--	244	116	54	1,130	--
Apr. 16	645	--	--	49	22	109	--	171	--	177	--	--	.32	--	--	213	53	53	960	7.5
May 7	1,540	22	.0	35	15	72	3.2	124	53	110	.1	2.0	.01	.373	.51	149	46	51	657	8.1
Aug. 13	500	--	--	65	18	97	4.7	162	--	176	--	--	.08	--	--	211	49	49	917	7.6
Sept. 25	1,000	30	.03	40	16	82	4.0	156	47	122	.2	2.0	.17	.420	.57	166	38	51	720	7.6

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued  
MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Tons per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non-carbonate calcium, magnesium-nestum	Percent sodium	Sodium adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH
STANISLAUS RIVER AT MOUTH (SEC. 17, T. 3 S., R. 7 E.)																							
Oct. 21, 1952	25	0.00	22	9.0	14	2.1	125	8.2	8.5	0.0	2.1	0.08	152	0.21	92	0	24	239	8.0				
Jan. 20, 1953	a 179	--	12	6.7	5.0	1.3	64	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	56	5	16	127	7.6			
Feb. 13	608	--	16	3.5	10	1.4	85	--	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	94	0	28	165	7.8			
Mar. 12	a 289	--	18	6.8	10	--	102	--	8.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	73	0	23	206	7.9			
Apr. 16	13	--	21	7.5	12	--	115	--	7.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	83	0	24	222	7.8			
May 7	1,647	--	0	5.8	2.3	2.6	8	30	3.0	1.5	.1	1.4	.01	45	0.06	24	0	18	56.1	7.2			
June 14	a 152	--	25	10	19	2.4	146	--	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	104	0	28	286	7.8			
Sep. 25	33	.06	23	9.6	14	2.3	129	8.9	9.2	.1	2.0	.02	166	.23	97	0	23	244	7.7				

SAN JOAQUIN RIVER AT MOSSDALE BRIDGE (SEC. 4, T. 2 S., R. 6 E.)

Oct. 24, 1952	25	0.00	35	15	78	3.3	124	45	124	0.1	1.6	0.18	388	0.53	149	48	53	692	8.1	
Jan. 20, 1953	--	--	9.1	21	2.1	70	--	66	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	3	43	231	7.4
Feb. 18	--	--	35	12	67	2.4	112	--	99	--	--	--	--	--	--	137	45	51	604	7.3
Mar. 12	--	--	56	21	104	--	155	--	172	--	--	--	--	--	--	226	99	50	931	7.6
Apr. 17	--	--	45	18	96	--	154	--	142	--	--	--	--	--	--	166	60	50	806	7.5
May 13	19	.1	23	9.8	43	2.4	88	29	66	.1	.8	.10	236	.32	98	26	48	416	7.7	
Aug. 18	--	--	46	19	86	4.1	162	--	138	--	--	--	--	--	193	60	49	786	7.5	
Sep. 17	28	--	41	18	85	3.8	163	45	130	.1	1.1	.13	432	.59	176	43	50	754	7.6	

SAN JOAQUIN RIVER AT GARWOOD BRIDGE (SEC. 16, T. 1 N., R. 6 E.)

Oct. 24, 1952	23	0.00	30	11	56	3.3	129	33	79	0.1	2.7	0.01	302	0.41	120	14	49	533	8.1	
Jan. 20, 1953	--	--	16	4.9	20	1.5	72	--	24	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	1	41	217	7.7
Feb. 18	--	--	33	15	74	2.7	126	--	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	144	41	52	635	7.3
Mar. 12	--	--	35	14	67	--	125	--	103	--	--	--	--	--	--	145	42	50	630	7.9
Apr. 17	--	--	40	16	73	--	164	--	109	--	--	--	--	--	--	166	32	49	703	7.2
May 13	15	.0	18	6.8	32	2.0	72	18	46	.1	1.1	.02	174	.24	73	14	48	303	7.4	
Aug. 18	--	--	31	12	65	4.8	178	--	72	--	--	--	--	--	127	0	52	543	7.2	
Sep. 17	16	--	18	11	29	1.8	94	26	38	.2	.4	.11	187	.25	90	13	41	323	7.4	

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

CALAVERAS RIVER NEAR JENNY LIND (SEC. 27, T. 3 N., R. 10 E.)

Oct. 23, 1952 .....	25	15	0.00	25	9.7	7.4	1.6	123	7.7	6.5	0.0	0.5	0.06	134	0.18	102	2	13	224	7.7
Jan. 22, 1953 .....	719	--	15	15	6.1	5.0	1.1	71	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	63	4	15	145	7.5
Feb. 16 .....	84	--	22	8.8	6.9	5.0	1.0	107	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	91	3	14	214	7.4
Mar. 23 .....	18	--	12	13	12	12	--	163	--	14	--	--	--	--	--	151	17	15	332	8.0
Apr. 15 .....	10	--	24	19	10	9.2	--	118	90	6.6	4.2	.1	.06	.06	.14	101	4	17	232	7.5
May 12 .....	100	15	0	19	7.0	6.1	1.4	119	15	4.8	--	.01	.00	.00	.16	76	2	15	176	7.8
Aug. 11 .....	2.0	--	24	8.1	6.9	2.3	--	131	15	6.8	.0	2.2	.06	.06	.21	97	0	13	223	7.8
Sep. 14 .....	.6	19	--	29	11	8.0	1.9	131	15	6.8	.0	2.2	.06	.06	.21	118	10	13	258	7.4

STOCKTON SHIP CHANNEL NEAR RINGE PUMP ON RIDGE TRACT (SEC. 27, T. 2 N., R. 5 E.)

Oct. 24, 1952 .....	12	0.00	33	14	62	4.0	134	33	88	0.2	2.7	0.43	315	0.43	140	30	48	568	7.3
Jan. 21, 1953 .....	--	--	22	7.7	28	2.0	90	--	36	--	--	--	--	--	87	21	41	306	7.4
Feb. 18 .....	--	--	25	10	44	2.0	92	--	61	--	--	--	--	--	104	26	47	421	7.4
Mar. 13 .....	--	--	28	13	52	--	97	--	81	--	--	--	--	--	124	44	48	515	7.9
Apr. 17 .....	--	--	28	13	47	--	106	--	74	--	--	--	--	--	123	36	45	513	7.6
May 13 .....	14	0	17	7.4	29	2.3	75	17	40	0	1.9	.07	166	.23	73	11	45	290	7.6
Aug. 18 .....	--	20	8.1	25	2.0	80	--	38	--	.02	--	--	--	--	83	18	39	291	7.3
Sep. 15 .....	--	24	11	40	2.6	116	20	54	3	.3	.7	.11	.214	.28	105	10	44	403	7.5
		3.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--					

OLD RIVER AT SOUTH TIP OF FABIAN TRACT NEAR TRACY (SEC. 6, T. 2 N., R. 5 E.)

Oct. 27, 1952 .....	24	0.00	38	15	78	4.2	138	49	116	0.1	2.6	0.17	395	0.54	156	44	51	697	8.1
Jan. 21, 1953 .....	--	--	13	7.4	21	1.8	73	--	26	--	--	--	--	--	63	3	41	237	7.7
Feb. 18 .....	--	--	37	16	73	2.7	123	--	111	--	--	--	--	--	158	58	49	693	7.4
Mar. 13 .....	--	--	41	19	86	--	119	--	139	--	--	--	--	--	180	83	51	767	8.1
Apr. 17 .....	--	--	56	22	100	--	166	--	184	--	--	--	--	--	230	94	49	960	7.5
May 13 .....	13	0	19	7.8	33	2.0	71	22	52	.1	.8	.06	185	.25	79	21	47	330	7.4
Aug. 18 .....	--	46	19	89	8.8	3.8	158	--	142	.2	.7	.16	466	.63	93	64	49	801	8.0
Sep. 17 .....	26	--	46	20	90	4.5	172	52	142	.2	.7	.16	.28	.28	197	56	49	827	7.6

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<b>DELTA-MENDOTA CANAL NEAR TRACY (SEC. 30, T. 1 S., R. 4 S.)</b>																															
Oct. 22, 1952	--	22	0.00	31	14	65	2.7	124	49	92	0.1	2.2	0.18	339	0.46	135	34	51	594	8.1											
Jan. 21, 1953	--	--	25	12	79	2.2	108	--	96	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	112	24	60	608	7.8										
Feb. 17,	1953	193	--	28	14	67	2.1	107	--	92	--	--	--	--	--	--	128	40	53	578	7.4										
Mar. 13	--	309	--	39	17	82	--	114	--	126	--	--	--	--	--	--	138	74	52	718	8.0										
Apr. 17,	1953	1,467	--	24	11	36	--	63	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	105	37	43	412	7.6										
May 14	--	2,363	15	0	18	8.3	30	2.1	70	26	46	.2	.5	.01	181	.25	79	22	44	312	7.0										
Aug. 19	--	2,296	--	--	17	7.7	22	1.5	75	--	28	--	.03	--	--	--	74	13	39	251	7.5										
Sept. 11	--	754	25	--	34	16	61	3.5	136	41	98	.2	.2	.19	348	.47	151	40	46	616	8.2										
Sept. 17	--	678	21	--	42	86	3.6	155	71	137	.2	1.0	.21	459	.62	132	64	49	812	7.6											
<b>DELTA-MENDOTA CANAL NEAR MENDOTA (SEC. 19, T. 13 S., R. 15 E.)</b>																															
Oct. 17, 1952	15	0.00	42	17	84	4.1	166	77	116	0.3	0.0	0.26	432	0.59	175	48	50	50	766	7.1											
Jan. 15, 1953	--	--	58	32	209	3.0	140	--	164	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	276	162	62	1,460	8.0										
Feb. 11	--	--	67	35	232	4.0	152	--	165	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	311	186	61	1,630	8.3										
Mar. 18	--	--	--	--	38	16	86	--	109	--	112	--	--	--	--	--	161	72	54	732	7.6										
Apr. 20	--	--	--	--	30	13	46	--	90	--	70	--	--	--	--	--	126	55	44	501	7.5										
May 6	--	15	0	44	26	2.6	64	--	64	.2	.1	.1	.02	.20	--	--	61	9	47	252	7.3										
Aug. 12	--	--	--	--	16	7.0	20	1.5	70	--	22	--	.06	--	--	--	69	11	38	243	7.5										
Sept. 23	--	18	.05	34	17	73	3.1	133	86	.2	.2	.8	.34	.391	.53	--	155	46	50	653	8.0										
<b>OLD RIVER AT CLIFTON COURT FERRY (SEC. 20, T. 1 S., R. 4 E.)</b>																															
Oct. 27, 1952	24	0.00	34	14	71	2.6	128	50	108	0.1	1.4	0.10	368	0.50	142	38	51	648	8.0												
Jan. 21, 1953	--	--	17	6.7	27	1.9	74	--	32	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	132	42	51	583	7.3										
Feb. 17,	1953	--	30	14	64	2.2	111	--	91	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	162	72	52	702	8.1										
Mar. 13	--	--	37	17	82	--	111	--	124	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	176	69	47	739	7.6										
Apr. 14	--	--	--	--	44	18	73	--	131	--	132	--	--	--	--	--	177	20	47	309	7.4										
May 14	--	15	.3	18	7.8	32	2.1	70	24	44	.2	1.0	.06	179	.24	--	146	46	47	586	7.7										
Aug. 9	--	--	--	--	34	15	62	3.0	122	--	102	--	--	--	--	--	275	.37	50	490	7.9										
Sept. 17	--	17	--	--	28	13	49	2.6	118	32	.2	.8	.09	.275	.37	--	123	27	--												

## ITALIAN SLough NEAR BYRON (SEC. 24, T. 1 S., R. 3 E.)

Oct. 27, 1952	....	25	0.00	33	14	81	3.2	144	41	115	0.2	1.6	0.71	385	0.52	140	22	55	693	8.0	
Jan. 21, 1953	....	--	--	43	28	418	6.0	264	--	558	--	--	--	--	--	222	6	80	2,420	7.7	
Feb.	17, 1953	....	--	42	30	356	5.3	270	--	485	--	--	--	--	--	228	7	77	2,150	7.5	
Mar.	13, 1953	....	--	34	17	79	--	101	--	150	--	--	--	--	--	155	72	53	776	7.7	
Apr.	14, 1953	....	--	40	19	96	--	96	--	134	--	--	--	--	--	178	100	49	773	7.4	
May	14, 1953	....	--	16	.3	21	9.9	41	2.3	69	38	.62	.2	1.4	.16	226	.31	93	37	394	7.5
Aug.	19, 1953	....	--	17	11	7.7	25	1.9	71	98	24	--	.33	--	--	14	.16	74	16	274	7.4
Sept.	17, 1953	....	--	15	--	19	11	38	2.3	54	.3	.6	.29	.29	.29	214	--	93	12	376	7.6

## ITALIAN SLough NEAR MOUTH (SEC. 7, T. 1 S., R. 4 E.)

Oct. 27, 1952	....	25	0.00	30	13	64	2.7	120	41	84	0.1	1.5	0.05	320	0.44	128	30	51	547	8.2		
Jan. 21, 1953	....	--	--	17	9.7	34	2.0	77	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	82	19	47	352	7.4		
Feb.	17, 1953	....	--	27	14	60	2.2	98	--	85	--	--	--	--	--	125	44	50	549	7.5		
Mar.	13, 1953	....	--	29	13	59	--	94	--	94	--	--	--	--	--	126	49	49	558	7.7		
Apr.	14, 1953	....	--	26	12	57	--	68	--	66	--	--	--	--	--	128	46	41	432	7.6		
May	14, 1953	....	--	15	.0	17	7.8	29	2.0	65	2.4	.42	.1	1.3	.09	170	.23	74	21	299	7.6	
Aug.	19, 1953	....	--	17	7.4	19	1.6	74	--	26	--	--	--	--	--	174	12	36	238	7.6		
Sept.	17, 1953	....	--	15	--	19	10	30	2.0	93	--	.41	.2	1.1	.08	188	.26	88	12	42	328	7.5

## INDIAN SLough NEAR BRENTWOOD (SEC. 22, T. 1 N., R. 3 E.)

Oct. 27, 1952	....	18	0.00	42	24	94	2.8	170	78	142	0.2	3.7	0.72	488	0.66	204	64	50	869	8.3		
Jan. 21, 1953	....	--	--	67	42	132	2.6	290	--	188	--	--	--	--	--	340	102	46	1,290	8.0		
Feb.	17, 1953	....	--	54	38	156	2.7	210	--	222	--	--	--	--	--	280	118	50	1,280	7.8		
Mar.	13, 1953	....	--	33	23	87	--	130	--	131	--	--	--	--	--	177	70	52	788	7.6		
Apr.	14, 1953	....	--	25	13	44	--	92	--	70	--	--	--	--	--	116	40	45	481	7.6		
May	14, 1953	....	--	16	.0	21	11	42	2.1	85	36	.0	1.1	.21	.21	231	.31	98	28	406	7.2	
Aug.	19, 1953	....	--	20	12	38	1.8	97	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	217	.31	99	20	45	385	7.4
Sept.	17, 1953	....	--	21	12	36	2.1	99	31	51	.2	.7	.14	.30	.30	102	21	43	382	7.4		

SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN--Continued  
MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per day	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Calcium, non-magnesium	Non-carbonate	Solid adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH
Oct. 27, 1952	17	0.00	30	11	53	2.8	115	38	77	0.1	1.6	0.18	287	0.39	120	26	43	517	7.5	362	7.3		
Jan. 21, 1953	--	--	25	11	51	1.9	92	--	46	--	--	--	--	--	88	25	46	470	7.4	470	7.4		
Feb. 17	24	--	27	16	52	--	96	--	71	--	--	--	--	--	108	32	50	556	7.4	531	7.3		
Mar.	24	--	23	10	31	--	79	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	133	54	76	364	7.4	364	7.4		
Apr. 14	--	--	16	0	19	9.3	30	2.1	73	28	.47	.1	1.2	.09	189	26	42	332	7.6	332	7.6		
May 14	--	--	16	0	19	8.0	20	1.8	77	26	--	--	--	--	70	7	37	240	7.4	240	7.4		
Aug. 19	--	--	23	--	42	19	85	4.3	168	50	128	.2	1.3	.20	435	.59	183	47	50	770	7.5		
Sept. 17	--	--	14	--	18	11	30	1.8	96	24	38	.2	.3	.10	185	.25	90	12	41	339	7.5		

OLD RIVER AT OROWOOD BRIDGE (SEC. 17, T. 1 N., R. 4 E.)

Oct. 27, 1952	20	0.00	32	14	60	3.2	124	46	86	0.2	1.3	0.17	324	0.44	137	36	48	570	8.2		
Jan. 21, 1953	--	--	31	18	73	2.7	107	--	91	--	--	--	--	--	152	64	51	655	8.0		
Feb. 17	17	--	19	16	51	1.8	96	--	68	--	--	--	--	--	113	35	49	482	7.4		
Mar.	24	--	27	14	48	--	98	--	79	--	--	--	--	--	125	45	46	531	7.7		
Apr. 14	--	--	23	9.5	32	--	82	--	52	--	--	--	--	--	96	29	42	372	7.7		
May 14	--	--	14	0	19	10	33	2.0	77	31	--	--	--	--	88	25	44	346	7.6		
Aug. 19	--	--	14	--	15	8.7	23	1.6	76	--	--	--	--	--	73	11	40	253	7.3		
Sept. 17	--	--	14	--	18	11	30	1.8	96	24	38	.2	.3	.10	185	.25	90	12	41	339	7.5

ROCK SLough NEAR KNIGHTSEN (SEC. 34, T. 2 N., R. 3 E.)

Oct. 27, 1952	20	0.00	32	14	60	3.2	124	46	86	0.2	1.3	0.17	324	0.44	137	36	48	570	8.2		
Jan. 21, 1953	--	--	31	18	73	2.7	107	--	91	--	--	--	--	--	152	64	51	655	8.0		
Feb. 17	17	--	19	16	51	1.8	96	--	68	--	--	--	--	--	113	35	49	482	7.4		
Mar.	24	--	27	14	48	--	98	--	79	--	--	--	--	--	125	45	46	531	7.7		
Apr. 14	--	--	23	9.5	32	--	82	--	52	--	--	--	--	--	96	29	42	372	7.7		
May 14	--	--	14	0	19	10	33	2.0	77	31	--	--	--	--	88	25	44	346	7.6		
Aug. 19	--	--	14	--	15	8.7	23	1.6	76	--	--	--	--	--	73	11	40	253	7.3		
Sept. 17	--	--	14	--	18	11	30	1.8	96	24	38	.2	.3	.10	185	.25	90	12	41	339	7.5

MOKELUMNE RIVER NEAR LANCHA PLANA (SEC. 4, T. 4 N., R. 10 E.)

Oct. 23, 1952	665	8.3	0.00	3.4	1.3	2.2	0.6	17	3.5	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.02	29	0.04	14	0	25	35.1
Jan. 22, 1953	1,510	--	--	4.0	2.2	2.4	.7	22	--	2.5	--	--	--	--	--	19	1	21	50.2
Feb. 16	615	--	--	5.0	1.1	2.8	.9	23	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	17	0	25	49.1
Mar.	622	--	--	5.6	1.2	3.8	--	23	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	19	0	30	49.1
Apr. 15	665	--	--	4.7	1.3	2.4	--	22	--	2.5	--	--	--	--	--	17	0	23	49.1
May 12	650	9.3	.1	4.6	2.1	3.0	.8	23	2.3	3.0	.1	.1	.00	37	.05	20	1	24	52.2
Aug. 17	635	--	--	3.8	1.3	1.6	.7	18	--	2.0	--	.02	--	--	15	0	18	36.3	
Sept. 14	655	8.7	--	3.4	1.1	1.8	.7	16	2.4	1.5	.0	.1	.01	28	.04	13	0	22	33.5

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## COSUMNES RIVER NEAR MICHIGAN BAR (SEC.36, T.8 N., R.8 E.)

Oct. 23, 1952 .....	41	16	0.00	9.4	2.1	5.0	0.9	.46	3.0	3.8	0.0	0.0	0.00	63	0	25	84.0	7.2
Jan. 22, 1953 .....	1,390	--	7.3	3.4	.8	3.6	3.8	.38	--	3.2	0	--	--	31	0	19	76.4	7.5
Jan. 27, 1953 .....	656	21	.00	6.8	3.1	4.1	4.1	.40	4.7	3.2	.0	.7	.09	32	0	20	84.6	7.2
Feb. 16 .....	330	--	7.3	3.4	.9	4.2	4.5	.42	--	2.2	0	--	--	32	0	21	83.6	7.2
Mar. 23 .....	742	--	--	4.2	4.5	3.8	--	.39	--	2.0	--	--	.04	29	0	22	74.3	7.1
Apr. 15 .....	487	--	--	5.1	1.9	3.4	--	.30	--	1.3	--	--	.01	20	0	21	57.4	7.2
May 12 .....	600	17	--	4.2	1.8	2.8	.6	.28	1.5	.8	.0	.04	.42	18	0	25	47.8	7.6
Aug. 17 .....	23	--	--	7.2	2.6	3.6	1.1	.43	--	1.5	.00	--	--	29	0	21	76.6	7.6
Sept. 14 .....	11	16	--	8.3	3.5	3.8	1.2	.48	3.2	1.5	.0	.3	.01	61	.08	35	0	18

## DELTA CROSS CHANNEL NEAR WALNUT GROVE (SEC.35, T.5 N., R.4 E.)

Oct. 28, 1952 .....	23	0.00	14	7.0	15	1.4	.83	10	11	0.1	0.6	0.10	126	0	17	64	0	33	175	7.6
Jan. 22, 1953 .....	--	--	7.9	3.2	3.8	.8	.42	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	33	0	20	83.7	7.5		
Feb. 13 .....	--	--	18	9.1	14	2.9	.84	--	19	--	--	--	--	82	13	26	21.1	7.5		
Mar. 11 .....	--	--	13	7.3	10	--	.63	--	15	--	--	.17	.17	62	11	26	163	7.4		
May 14 .....	16	.2	7.5	4.7	6.7	1.2	.44	4.9	6.8	.1	.4	.22	.70	.10	38	2	27	102	7.3	
May 15 .....	--	--	10	3.7	6.5	--	.58	--	4.0	--	--	.02	--	40	0	26	111	7.4		
Aug. 20 .....	--	--	17	9.3	20	1.6	.104	--	15	--	.11	--	--	81	0	34	244	7.5		
Sept. 16 .....	--	--	17	11	24	1.8	.117	16	20	.1	1.2	.04	.170	.23	88	0	37	272	7.4	

## LITTLE POTATO SLough NEAR TERMINUS (SEC.13, T.3 N., R.4 E.)

Oct. 24, 1952 .....	22	0.00	14	7.8	13	1.3	.83	9.1	15	0.0	0.5	0.00	124	0	17	67	0	29	188	7.8
Jan. 21, 1953 .....	--	--	11	4.6	6.5	1.3	.63	--	7.2	--	--	--	--	46	3	23	122	7.5		
Feb. 18 .....	--	--	14	5.8	8.7	1.3	.63	--	8.0	--	--	--	--	59	7	24	141	7.2		
Mar. 24 .....	--	--	12	5.9	9.6	--	.62	--	9.5	--	--	.02	--	54	3	28	158	7.2		
Apr. 15 .....	--	--	11	5.1	9.6	--	.48	--	16	--	.01	--	--	48	9	30	142	7.3		
May 13 .....	14	.2	8.6	4.9	9.0	1.1	.50	6.1	.1	.5	.02	.79	.11	44	3	30	126	7.4		
Aug. 18 .....	--	--	20	11	32	1.5	.101	--	34	--	.06	--	.06	95	12	42	301	7.5		
Sept. 15 .....	22	--	17	11	24	1.6	.115	17	.1	.7	.05	.169	.23	88	0	37	273	7.6		

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN

## SACRAMENTO RIVER AT KNIGHTS LANDING, CALIF.

LOCATION.—At Southern Pacific Railroad bridge at Knights Landing, Yolo County, just downstream from gaging station and about 34 miles upstream from Sacramento.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953. Maximum, 244 ppm May 12, 19; minimum, 95 ppm Dec. 21-23, 29.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved Solids: Maximum, 107 ppm May 12, 19; minimum, 48 ppm Dec. 12-13, 20.

Hardness: Maximum, 107 ppm May 12, 19; minimum, 48 ppm Dec. 12-13, 20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 441 micromhos May 12, 19; minimum daily, 23 micromhos Dec. 29.

Water temperature: Maximum, 74°F July 20, 1952; minimum, 45°F Nov. 29, 1952.

EXTREMES, 1951-53.—Dissolved Solids: Maximum, 244 ppm May 12, 19; minimum, 91 ppm Apr. 11-20, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 114-120 ppm Sept. 9, 1952; minimum, 44 ppm Jan. 9-11, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 78°F July 23, 1952; minimum, 42°F Jan. 3-9, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Sacramento, Calif. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285. Considerable inflow during irrigation season of irrigation waste water from drainage canal about 0.3 mile above sampling site. Mixing not complete at sampling site.

## Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953.

Date of collection	Chemical analyses										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)				Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)				Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH			
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Po- tas- sium (K)	Car- bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F <sup>-</sup> )	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Per- cent so- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Per- cent so- dium				
Oct. 1-10, 1952	6,835	25	0.00	14	8.4	11	1.9	93	10	8.0	0.1	0.3	0.25	125	0.17	2,310	70	0	25	0.6	185	7.7	
Oct. 11-20, 1952	6,515	20	0.00	13	6.9	9.0	1.6	81	7.9	5.8	0.1	.8	.10	115	1.16	2,020	61	0	24	.5	162	7.6	
Oct. 21-31, 1952	6,318	26	0.00	13	6.8	10	1.8	81	8.4	6.5	1	.3	.09	116	1.16	1,980	60	0	26	.6	164	7.5	
Nov. 1-10, 1952	6,100	26	0.00	15	7.0	10	1.6	82	9.1	8.0	0	.4	.18	115	1.16	1,980	66	0	24	.5	170	7.5	
Nov. 11-20, 1952	7,133	--	--	13	6.5	12	1.5	80	7.9	8.5	--	.4	--	115	1.16	2,220	59	0	30	.7	165	7.8	
Nov. 21-30, 1952	6,697	--	--	13	5.8	13	1.7	84	11	8.8	--	.8	--	123	.17	2,230	56	0	33	.7	178	8.0	
Dec. 1, 4-10, 1952	--	--	10	7.0	10	1.9	68	9.5	7.8	--	3.5	--	117	.16	3,290	54	0	28	.6	161	7.9		
Dec. 2, 3, 5-6, 1952	--	--	10	6.2	14	2.0	74	13	10	--	2.0	--	122	.17	3,470	50	0	36	.9	181	8.0		
Dec. 7, 10, 1952	--	--	10	6.5	14	2.0	74	9.1	6.2	--	4.6	--	114	.16	6,610	53	11	24	.5	120	7.7		
Dec. 11, 14-16, 1952	--	--	8.8	7.5	7.8	1.8	51	18	6.5	--	2.8	--	100	.14	5,830	61	8	25	.5	155	7.7		
Dec. 12-13, 1952	--	--	12	7.5	9.6	1.8	64	16	6.5	--	2.8	--	113	.13	5,160	48	6	26	.5	124	7.4		
Dec. 17-19, 1952	--	--	9.6	8.2	8.2	1.7	52	16	5.2	--	1.6	--	137	.19	5,730	71	4	32	.8	198	7.4		
Dec. 20-22, 1952	--	--	15	8.2	16	1.8	82	25	9.2	--	1.6	--	137	.19	5,730	71	10	15	.3	117	7.3		
Dec. 23-25, 1952	--	--	15	8.2	16	1.8	82	25	9.2	--	1.6	--	137	.19	5,910	51	10	15	.3	160	7.3		
Dec. 26-28, 1952	--	--	12	5.2	5.3	1.5	51	8.6	6.2	--	1.2	--	95	.13	5,910	51	3	25	.5	160	7.3		
Dec. 29-30, 1952	--	--	13	6.7	9.4	1.4	70	10	6.7	--	.7	--	112	.15	6,060	60	3	25	.5	160	7.3		
Dec. 30-31, 1952	--	--	13	6.7	9.4	1.4	70	10	6.7	--	.7	--	112	.15	6,060	60	3	25	.5	160	7.3		
Jan. 1-10, 1953	--	--	22	.00	13	7.0	8.0	67	13	9.5	0	.7	.16	114	.16	7,010	61	6	21	.4	158	7.3	
Jan. 11-20, 1953	--	--	22	.00	13	6.3	7.2	61	12	9.0	1	.2	.17	106	.14	6,980	58	8	21	.4	146	7.4	
Jan. 21-31, 1953	--	--	23	990	19	6.4	6.2	66	8.8	6.8	1	.2	.14	101	.14	6,940	58	3	19	.4	140	7.4	
Feb. 1-10, 1953	--	--	22	.05	14	6.6	6.0	1.3	74	8.6	6.2	1	.8	.11	106	.14	5,900	62	1	17	.3	151	7.4
Feb. 11-19, 1953	--	--	15	--	--	1.4	102	72	8.6	--	.4	--	106	.14	5,050	61	2	18	.3	148	7.2		
Feb. 20-28, 1953	--	--	12	100	22	1.4	102	72	8.6	--	.4	--	106	.14	5,050	61	2	18	.3	163	7.1		
Feb. 21-28, 1953	--	--	15	18	10	1.2	90	24	--	15	.0	.3	.15	160	.22	4,460	86	5	32	.9	252	7.6	

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Mar. 1-10, 1953	9,287	1.5	102	16	.23	93	9	29
Mar. 11-17, 20	9,582	--	11	18	0	.22	80	5
Mar. 12-13, 18-19	9,070	--	16	9.7	.0	.146	3,780	5
Mar. 21, 26	14,050	--	20	8.8	.0	--	3,650	7.7
Mar. 22-25	15,320	--	15	6.6	.0	.146	4,550	7.7
Mar. 27-31	11,640	--	17	5.4	.0	--	4,100	7.6
Apr. 1-2	10,300	--	20	6.8	.0	.146	4,580	7.4
Apr. 2-10	8,700	15	0	15	.0	.146	2,720	7.4
Apr. 11-12, 16, 18	6,400	--	17	7.8	.0	.146	2,300	7.5
Apr. 13-14, 16-17	7,733	--	19	11	.0	.146	74	7.5
Apr. 19-20	4,769	16	0	15	.0	.146	116	7.5
Apr. 21-28	16,400	--	12	5.1	.0	.146	116	7.5
Apr. 29-30	16,400	--	12	9.2	.0	.146	116	7.5
May 1-5	12,470	--	12	6.1	.0	.146	116	7.5
May 6-7	9,115	--	12	6.3	.0	.146	116	7.5
May 8-10	9,467	--	13	6.3	.0	.146	116	7.5
May 11-13, 18, 20	9,140	14	0	16	.0	.146	116	7.5
May 12, 19	9,485	--	20	9.2	.0	.146	116	7.5
May 21, 23-29	11,600	9.7	0	17	.0	.146	116	7.5
May 22, 30-31	11,430	--	15	6.8	.0	.146	116	7.5
June 1-10	10,670	32	0	14	.0	.146	116	7.5
June 11-20	9,732	17	0	13	.0	.146	116	7.5
June 21-30	8,012	20	0	13	.0	.146	116	7.5
July 1-10	6,067	20	0	13	.0	.146	116	7.5
July 11-20	5,907	23	0	14	.0	.146	116	7.5
July 21-31	6,583	32	0	14	.0	.146	116	7.5
Aug. 1-10	7,367	24	0	15	.0	.146	116	7.5
Aug. 11-20	7,276	25	0	15	.0	.146	116	7.5
Aug. 21-31	7,673	26	.00	14	.0	.146	116	7.5
Sept. 1-10	9,309	23	.00	16	.0	.146	116	7.5
Sept. 11-20	9,828	24	.00	16	.0	.146	116	7.5
Sept. 21-30	9,752	25	.03	15	.0	.146	116	7.5
Weighted average a	111,080	b22	b0.01	14	7.7	13	1.5	81
							15	10
							b0.1	0.7
							b0.14	128
							0.17	3,830
							66	0
							29	0.7
							188	--

a Represents 100 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

b Represents 66 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

SACRAMENTO RIVER AT KNIGHTS LANDING, CALIF.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
Once-daily measurement taken at approximately 10 a. m. 7

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Once-daily measurement taken at approximately 10 a.m.										
			Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	69	58	45	47	50	49	57	56	60	67	66	70	
2	70	56	46	47	51	45	57	57	61	67	65	68	
3	69	55	47	48	51	48	58	58	62	68	64	69	
4	69	55	46	47	51	48	59	60	64	69	65	70	
5	68	55	47	48	51	50	57	60	63	70	68	67	
6	67	55	47	48	51	53	54	62	62	70	68	68	
7	65	55	46	48	51	56	56	61	60	70	69	69	
8	65	55	46	48	50	55	56	62	62	72	69	69	
9	64	55	46	50	49	56	56	62	61	70	68	69	
10	63	55	47	50	48	54	56	61	61	68	69	69	
11	63	55	47	51	48	55	56	60	63	70	69	69	
12	64	55	48	52	48	54	56	62	60	69	70	70	
13	63	54	47	50	48	50	56	61	62	68	68	69	
14	63	54	48	51	48	51	56	62	64	72	66	70	
15	62	53	49	51	48	51	67	62	65	70	67	69	
16	63	51	48	50	48	52	58	62	65	72	68	65	
17	63	--	48	50	49	51	56	62	66	71	69	68	
18	62	50	48	50	49	51	57	63	67	72	69	68	
19	62	50	48	50	48	51	--	64	65	73	70	65	
20	62	--	47	50	47	51	58	65	65	74	70	65	
21	62	50	47	51	48	51	59	64	66	72	68	65	
22	62	--	46	51	46	51	60	63	67	71	69	64	
23	60	--	45	50	47	51	62	63	68	73	69	66	
24	60	48	45	50	48	52	64	62	64	69	69	65	
25	60	47	46	50	47	52	64	60	66	68	67	62	
26	60	47	46	49	49	54	63	60	64	69	65	62	
27	59	46	46	49	49	56	64	59	64	70	65	62	
28	59	46	47	48	49	55	60	61	66	67	65	62	
29	59	45	46	49	--	54	60	62	65	68	62	65	
30	59	46	47	50	--	55	56	60	66	67	63	59	
31	58	--	47	50	--	55	--	60	--	67	65	--	
Average		63	52	47	49	49	52	59	61	64	70	67	67

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## FEATHER RIVER AT NICOLAUS, CALIF.

LOCATION.—At highway bridge at Nicolaus, Sutter County, just 0.4 mile upstream from gaging station and 1.2 miles downstream from Bear River.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved Solids.

Hardness: Maximum, 100 ppm Dec. 20; minimum, .77 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 207 micromhos Dec. 24; minimum daily, 56.8 micromhos Apr. 29.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 76°F July 21, 23; minimum, 39°F Feb. 10.

EXTREMES, 1951-53.—Dissolved solids.

Hardness: Maximum, 100 ppm Dec. 20, 1952; minimum, 22 ppm June 1-3, 8, 10, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 207 micromhos Dec. 24, 1952; minimum daily, 50.0 micromhos May 28, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 79°F July 18-19, 1951; minimum, 55°F Jan. 3, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of Specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Sacramento, Calif. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)										Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Percent calcium magnesium	Percent non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or	pH
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Calcium (Ca)	Potassium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)				
Oct. 1-10, 1952...	2,801	13	0.00	11	5.3	4.7	0.9	.65	3.7	3.2	0.0	0.2	0.19	78	0.11	5.3	
Oct. 11-20...	2,797	14	0.00	12	5.1	4.0	1.5	.66	3.6	2.5	0	.5	.08	76	0.10	5.74	
Oct. 21-31...	2,740	12	0.00	12	5.3	4.3	1.5	.66	3.7	2.5	0	.3	.08	68	.09	5.2	
Oct. 23...	2,760	11	0.00	11	5.6	5.2	1.0	.65	3.4	3.5	0	.2	.00	b73	.10	5.44	
Nov. 1-10...	2,578	14	0.00	13	5.1	4.0	1.5	.65	3.9	3.0	0	.7	.16	76	.10	5.29	
Nov. 11-20...	3,187	12	0.00	13	5.2	4.2	1.3	.63	5.2	3.5	0	.3	.19	79	.11	680	
Nov. 21-30...	3,091	15	0.00	13	5.4	4.0	1.4	.65	4.9	3.2	0	.0	.15	78	.11	651	
Dec. 1-2, 4, 7...	3,985	--	--	10	5.1	8.2	1.6	.61	12	5.2	--	.6	--	94	.13	1,010	
Dec. 3, 5, 6, 8-10...	5,843	--	--	10	5.1	6.5	1.5	.57	13	3	--	1.0	--	81	.11	1,280	
Dec. 11-19...	5,573	--	--	9	9.6	4.4	6.1	.53	9.4	4.0	--	1.6	--	75	.10	1,130	
Dec. 20...	8,470	--	--	28	7.3	6.1	2.1	1.06	--	4.8	--	4.0	--	--	--	100	
Dec. 21-23, 25-31	7,367	16	.00	13	5.2	5.2	5.2	.58	5.8	4.2	.1	.10	.10	79	.11	1,530	
Dec. 24...	5,180	--	--	--	3.4	1.0	.58	--	6.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Jan. 1-9, 1953...	12,130	--	--	12	5.0	2.4	1.2	.56	5.9	4.5	--	.6	--	80	.11	2,620	
Jan. 10...	104,000	9.7	--	--	1.5	1.8	3.2	--	4.0	2.5	--	.13	--	60	.08	9,190	
Jan. 11-20...	56,750	.00	--	--	3.5	1.5	.9	.37	3.0	2.5	.1	.1	.13	--	--	34	
Jan. 13...	54,000	9.7	--	--	2.9	3.2	.9	.44	--	2.8	--	.1	.11	--	.08	35	
Jan. 21-31...	32,380	9.7	.05	--	9.2	3.2	.9	.40	3.5	3.5	.0	.2	.11	60	.08	5,280	

a Not included for computation of weighted averages.

b Sum of determined constituents.

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## FEATHER RIVER AT NICOLAUS, CALIF.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, magnesium	Percent sodium, carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH			
													Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day								
Feb. 1-10, 1953...	12,220	8.9	0.05	9.5	3.7	3.8	0.9	48	4.0	3.8	0.1	0.4	0.16	65	0.09	2,140	39	0	17	0.3	89.4	7.2	
Feb. 10 a...	11,600	--	--	9.1	4.8	4.5	0.7	48	--	1.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	19	1	19	1.3	93.1	7.6
Feb. 11-20...	8,363	13	.05	11	3.9	2.6	1.2	50	4.8	3.8	0	.7	.08	68	.08	1,630	44	3	11	.2	104	7.2	
Feb. 21-28...	6,822	10	.10	10	4.1	5.0	1.1	52	5.7	4.0	0	.3	.12	70	.10	1,250	42	0	20	.3	96.2	7.4	
Mar. 1-10...	6,782	16	.00	10	4.2	4.8	1.8	52	4.7	4.0	0	.3	.08	69	.08	1,260	42	0	19	.3	98.0	7.5	
Mar. 11-20...	10,110	23	.02	9.6	4.0	4.5	.9	49	5.6	4.2	0	.4	.12	67	.09	1,830	40	0	19	.3	93.4	7.5	
Mar. 21-31...	14,450	16	.02	9.3	3.8	3.6	.8	46	4.2	4.5	0	.4	.12	65	.09	2,540	39	1	16	.3	85.9	7.3	
Mar. 23 a...	14,200	--	--	9.2	3.4	3.1	--	47	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	0	15	2	2	85.9	7.3
Apr. 1-10...	13,440	20	.05	9.0	3.5	3.2	.6	43	3.5	3.8	0	.0	.14	80	.08	2,160	37	2	16	.2	78.1	7.4	
Apr. 11-20...	10,440	14	.0	8.3	3.2	4.1	.9	44	3.8	3.0	.1	.3	.08	60	.07	1,690	34	0	20	.3	81.6	7.0	
Apr. 21-30...	22,470	14	.0	7.6	2.4	3.1	.7	37	3.0	2.2	.1	.4	.06	53	.07	3,220	28	0	19	.3	69.7	6.9	
Apr. 23 a...	13,900	--	--	7.3	3.1	3.0	--	42	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	31	0	17	.3	73.0	7.5	
May 1-10...	19,420	11	0	7.2	2.9	3.1	.6	33	2.8	2.8	.1	.4	.04	55	.07	2,820	30	0	18	.3	69.7	7.1	
May 11-20...	13,290	15	0	7.9	2.7	3.4	.9	37	2.7	3.8	0	1.5	.04	55	.07	1,970	31	0	19	.3	81.5	7.0	
May 12-20...	12,200	15	0	7.0	3.5	3.1	.5	42	3.0	3.0	.1	.3	.03	54	.07	1,730	32	0	17	.2	73.0	7.6	
May 14, 1960	13	.0	6.9	2.9	3.4	3.4	.6	37	2.4	2.5	.0	.1	.14	53	.07	2,140	29	0	20	.3	68.2	7.0	
June 1-10...	14,080	15	0	7.3	2.9	3.4	.7	38	2.0	2.8	.1	.0	.06	53	.07	2,010	30	0	19	.3	72.1	7.0	
June 11-20...	14,030	9.2	0	6.9	2.4	3.1	1.1	36	2.6	2.6	.0	.2	.04	50	.07	1,890	27	0	19	.3	67.4	7.0	
June 21-30...	9,747	15	0	7.1	2.5	2.8	.7	36	2.6	2.0	.1	.0	.07	49	.07	1,290	28	0	17	.2	63.9	7.3	
July 1-10...	4,733	17	0	9.0	3.1	4.1	.8	45	2.8	2.5	.1	.1	.08	60	.08	7,677	35	0	20	.3	83.7	7.4	
July 11-20...	2,058	16	0	11	4.6	4.0	1.0	57	3.5	4.0	.0	.2	.10	74	.10	411	41	0	16	.2	108	7.6	
July 21-31...	1,119	18	0	12	5.8	5.4	1.1	69	4.8	3.5	.0	.6	.08	82	.11	248	54	0	18	.3	131	7.7	
Aug. 1-10...	1,009	18	.00	13	5.4	5.0	1.1	68	5.0	4.8	.0	.6	.09	82	.11	223	55	0	16	.3	132	7.4	
Aug. 11-20...	1,073	17	.00	13	5.7	5.4	1.2	67	4.9	6.2	.1	.6	.05	85	.12	246	56	0	17	.3	131	7.2	
Aug. 19 a...	1,080	--	--	14	5.1	5.5	1.3	69	--	6.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	56	0	17	.3	128	7.5	
Aug. 21-31...	1,139	15	.00	13	6.1	5.8	1.2	71	4.4	4.8	.1	.5	.03	84	.12	264	56	0	18	.3	133	7.4	
Sept. 1-10...	1,353	16	.00	13	5.7	5.9	1.3	71	5.0	5.0	.0	.6	.07	84	.11	307	56	0	18	.3	134	7.7	
Sept. 11-20...	1,774	16	.00	13	5.7	5.8	1.4	68	4.2	4.5	.0	.5	.11	82	.11	393	55	0	18	.3	125	7.6	
Sept. 11 a...	1,360	14	--	13	5.3	5.6	1.2	72	4.6	2.5	.0	.6	.07	82	.11	301	54	0	18	.3	131	7.6	
Sept. 21-30...	2,744	14	.02	11	5.6	5.2	1.3	66	3.6	2.8	.1	.6	.04	76	.10	663	10	0	18	.3	120	7.2	
Weighted average <sup>c</sup>	9,868	13	dd.01	e.8.9	e.3.6	3.1	1.0	44	e.3.8	3.2	d.01	e.0.3	d.0.10	e.62	e.0.08	e.1,650	37	e1	e14	e.0.2	84.7	--	

a Not included for computation of weighted averages.

b Sum of determined constituents.

c Represents 100 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

d Represents 91 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

e Represents 97 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## FEATHER RIVER AT NICOLAUS, CALIF.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
/Once-daily measurement taken at approximately 7 a.m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	69	56	45	45	46	45	52	51	56	65	72	69
2	68	55	45	45	46	44	52	50	55	64	68	71
3	68	54	44	45	47	44	53	52	56	66	68	73
4	67	54	44	46	47	45	53	58	57	68	69	72
5	66	54	45	45	47	46	54	56	57	69	71	71
6	67	55	44	45	47	47	54	57	57	70	71	71
7	66	54	44	46	49	48	51	54	57	68	72	69
8	65	54	45	52	48	49	49	53	56	70	74	71
9	64	54	45	52	46	49	48	53	56	70	75	72
10	64	53	45	48	39	49	47	53	56	69	--	73
11	64	53	46	48	44	48	48	54	56	70	74	73
12	64	54	46	48	44	49	49	55	56	70	75	73
13	64	53	46	48	45	46	--	55	57	71	75	73
14	63	53	45	48	45	46	--	56	58	71	74	74
15	63	51	45	45	45	47	--	55	59	72	71	73
16	63	49	44	45	45	47	52	55	59	73	71	71
17	63	48	44	46	45	46	51	54	61	73	73	70
18	63	48	44	47	45	47	52	56	61	73	74	70
19	61	48	44	48	44	48	53	57	60	74	74	69
20	61	49	44	50	43	46	53	56	61	75	73	68
21	61	47	43	47	42	46	54	55	--	76	72	67
22	61	46	45	45	44	46	57	54	63	75	73	67
23	61	46	42	45	42	48	57	54	64	76	74	66
24	60	45	42	45	44	49	57	53	63	73	72	67
25	59	44	42	46	44	49	56	52	64	72	70	66
26	59	43	43	45	44	50	56	52	63	72	68	65
27	59	43	44	45	45	51	54	53	64	74	69	65
28	58	42	45	45	45	51	52	54	54	74	68	66
29	58	42	45	45	--	50	51	55	64	74	67	65
30	58	42	45	45	--	51	51	55	64	74	65	65
31	58	--	44	46	--	51	--	56	--	74	64	--
Average	63	50	44	46	45	48	52	54	59	71	71	70

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## AMERICAN RIVER AT FAIR OAKS, CALIF.

LOCATION.—At highway bridge just downstream from gaging station at Fair Oaks, Sacramento County, 10 miles downstream from South Fork, and about 19 miles from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—1,921 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: January to December 1906, March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1911 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 66 ppm; minimum, 29 ppm; June 21-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 41 ppm Nov. 21-30; minimum, 14 ppm June 21-30.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 102 micromhos Nov. 13; minimum daily, 29.5 micromhos June 21.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 80°F Aug. 10, Sept. 1; minimum, 41°F April 9.

EXTREMES, 1951-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 69 ppm Aug. 21-31, 1951; minimum, 29 ppm June 21-30, 1953.

Hardness: Maximum, 41 ppm Aug. 1 to Sept. 10, 1951; minimum, 14 ppm June 21-30, 1953.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 112 micromhos Aug. 28, 1951; minimum daily, 29.1 micromhos June 3, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 80°F July 7, 28 Aug. 4, 1952; Aug. 10, Sept. 1, 1953; minimum, 40°F Jan. 3, 4, 10, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office, Sacramento, Calif. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	So- dium (Na)	Po- tas- sium (K)	Car- bo- nate bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sub- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Flu- oride (F)	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Non- carbon- ate min- erals	Per- cent so- dium	So- dium ad- sorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	pH	
													Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acres- foot	Tons per acre- foot						
Oct. 1-10, 1952	508	12	0.00	8.0	2.5	4.5	1.0	38	4.0	4.0	0.0	0.3	0.11	54	0.07	75	30	0	17	0.4	74.6
Oct. 11-20	442	9.7	.00	9.6	2.8	3.0	1.1	38	3.7	3.7	.0	.08	.04	54	.07	64	35	4	15	.2	78.6
Oct. 21-31	428	10	.00	8.8	2.9	3.2	.8	39	3.7	3.7	.1	.11	.06	65	.08	65	34	2	18.9	.2	7.3
Nov. 1-10	324	11	.00	11	3.1	3.8	1.1	45	5.0	5.0	.0	.9	.07	65	.09	57	40	3	17	.3	96.1
Nov. 11-20	796	11	.00	10	3.0	5.0	1.0	43	5.8	5.8	.0	.1	.10	64	.09	138	37	2	22	.4	99.4
Nov. 21-30	545	13	.04	10	4.0	2.6	1.0	43	4.8	4.8	.0	.3	.03	61	.03	90	41	6	12	.2	91.9
Dec. 1-10	2,001	15	.00	10	3.5	2.6	1.0	40	6.1	6.1	.0	.12	.61	61	.03	330	39	7	12	.2	87.8
Dec. 11-20	1,887	10	.00	9.6	3.5	2.6	.9	40	6.7	6.7	.0	.15	.58	60	.03	292	38	6	13	.2	84.6
Dec. 21-31	1,986	11	.00	9.1	3.5	3.8	.7	40	6.2	6.2	.0	.05	.05	60	.03	322	37	4	18	.3	88.1
Jan. 1-9, 1953	—	—	—	9.0	3.8	4.3	.8	42	6.7	6.7	—	.5	—	68	.09	769	38	4	19	—	94.0
Jan. 10-18	17,900	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	—	—	2	56.8	—
Jan. 11-20	10,550	14	.00	7.4	2.7	2.8	.7	32	4.4	4.4	.0	.08	.05	50	.07	1,450	30	3	17	.2	64.5
Jan. 21-31	6,782	15	.00	8.1	2.9	1.3	.7	34	3.8	3.8	.0	.10	.51	.07	.952	32	4	8	.1	65.7	7.3
Feb. 1-10	3,524	9.5	.00	7.0	2.5	2.8	.6	34	3.9	3.9	.0	.1	.05	48	.07	457	28	0	18	.2	66.0
Feb. 11-20	6,687	8.6	.00	7.3	2.2	1.5	.7	30	3.4	3.4	.1	.12	.46	.06	.07	334	27	3	10	.1	62.0
Feb. 21-28	2,134	8.9	.00	7.3	2.3	3.4	1.1	32	3.9	3.9	.0	.1	.06	49	.07	282	28	1	20	.3	63.9
Mar. 1-10	2,420	13	.00	7.3	2.3	3.1	1.1	32	3.8	3.8	.0	.06	.46	301	.06	301	28	1	19	.3	62.7
Mar. 11-20	3,544	11	.00	6.9	2.6	3.6	1.0	33	3.7	3.7	.0	.12	.48	.07	.06	459	28	1	21	.3	63.5
Mar. 21-31	5,207	17	.00	6.6	2.4	3.1	.7	31	4.8	4.8	.0	.06	.46	.06	.06	647	26	1	20	.3	60.0

Apr. 1-10, 1953	5,815	15	.00	5.6	1.5	2.2	.5	25	2.6	.0	.13	38	0.05	587	
Apr. 11-20	3,986	12	9.9	.00	6.5	1.7	2.8	.8	27	2.4	.1	.14	41	.06	46.5
Apr. 21-30	13,750	1	1	0	4.7	1.5	2.0	5	22	2.4	.1	.1	23	.05	7.3
May 1-10	8,948	12	0	5.2	1.5	2.4	.6	24	2.2	.1	.1	38	.05	51.8	
May 11-20	8,128	7.9	0	4.6	1.7	2.0	.5	23	2.6	.1	.1	19	.05	44.4	
May 21-31	6,988	9.6	0	4.4	1.5	2.0	.6	22	2.1	.1	.1	35	.05	4.1	
June 1-10	8,762	8.5	0	4.4	1.2	3.1	.8	23	1.6	.0	.08	34	.05	4.4	
June 11-20	9,474	11	0	4.4	1.2	3.1	.8	17	1.6	.0	.08	34	.05	4.1	
June 21-30	6,989	5.6	0	3.8	1.1	2.0	.5	19	1.3	.0	.02	29	.04	4.4	
July 1-10	4,308	7.1	0	4.2	1.4	2.0	.7	22	1.4	.0	.02	32	.04	4.2	
July 11-20	2,514	8.1	0	5.0	1.3	2.8	.8	23	1.8	.0	.06	35	.05	4.8	
July 21-31	1,057	11	0	7.3	1.7	3.4	.9	32	2.3	.0	.07	49	.07	4.5	
Aug. 1-10	564	11	0	8.9	2.4	3.1	.8	38	3.7	.0	.1	55	.07	3.3	
Aug. 11-20	423	10	0	9.7	2.8	3.4	1.1	42	4.0	.0	.02	55	.07	3.3	
Aug. 21-31	364	12	0.0	9.7	3.1	3.8	1.0	43	4.1	.0	.05	60	.08	3.3	
Sept. 1-10	401	13	0.0	9.3	2.8	3.8	.8	41	4.1	.1	.07	59	.08	3.3	
Sept. 11-20	396	10	0.4	7.9	2.2	3.1	.9	33	3.6	.1	.13	51	.07	3.3	
Sept. 21-30	416	11	.02	8.4	2.2	3.4	1.0	37	3.5	.1	.10	64	.07	3.3	
Weighted average a	3,738	b11	b0.00	c6.0	c2.0	2.5	0.7	27	c3.0	2.9	b0.1	c0.10	c43	c0.06	c429
													c1	c18	c0.2
													c18	c0.2	--

a Represents 100 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

b Represents 66 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

c Represents 99 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## AMERICAN RIVER AT FAIR OAKES, CALIF.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 /Once-daily measurement at approximately 8 a.m. to 10 a.m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	72	58	45	45	46	45	51	48	55	61	71	80
2	70	57	45	46	48	45	51	49	51	60	72	78
3	68	55	46	46	46	44	52	58	54	64	72	75
4	68	59	45	45	45	45	54	60	55	61	71	71
5	65	60	46	45	48	45	53	60	55	66	70	--
6	68	56	45	45	48	46	52	55	55	66	70	71
7	66	58	45	49	49	49	49	53	51	66	66	72
8	67	54	47	49	49	49	49	51	52	68	76	75
9	70	56	46	50	46	50	41	54	52	68	75	74
10	64	58	47	46	44	49	45	50	52	65	80	75
11	64	56	48	46	44	48	46	54	54	69	74	75
12	65	55	49	46	43	49	50	51	54	70	74	74
13	64	55	46	49	44	46	49	53	55	71	73	75
14	68	55	46	49	45	48	50	54	55	75	73	74
15	60	53	45	46	47	49	51	52	57	72	72	73
16	62	51	45	45	43	49	52	52	56	72	72	--
17	64	50	45	45	45	48	51	54	58	71	72	71
18	64	50	46	49	45	47	51	54	56	73	73	70
19	62	--	46	49	44	45	48	55	56	75	74	70
20	61	49	45	49	42	46	52	52	58	75	74	70
21	61	47	45	48	--	45	55	51	58	76	71	70
22	60	48	44	46	43	50	55	51	60	76	73	70
23	63	48	44	45	45	48	45	52	65	76	71	67
24	60	43	44	--	45	50	51	52	61	74	69	68
25	60	44	44	48	44	49	53	50	64	73	70	67
26	60	44	45	46	45	50	54	50	60	75	70	65
27	58	45	46	45	45	50	55	50	61	74	70	68
28	61	43	47	45	46	51	50	50	61	74	69	66
29	63	43	45	45	--	51	49	50	61	74	69	66
30	60	43	46	45	--	50	48	52	60	74	69	66
31	60	--	44	46	--	55	--	55	--	73	--	--
Average	64	51	46	47	45	48	50	53	57	71	72	71

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

LOCATION.--At Tower Bridge, 0.4 mile downstream from gaging station at Sacramento, Sacramento County, and approximately 1.3 miles downstream from confluence of the American River.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Gaging station maintained and operated by State of California Division of Water Resources. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in Report of Sacramento-San Joaquin Water Supervision for 1952 and Report of Sacramento-San Joaquin Water Supervision for 1953.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year 1952 to September 1953												Dissolved solids (sum)		Parts per million		Tons per acre-foot		Tons per day		Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$		Percent calcium-magnesium		Percent sodium-carbonate		Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)		pH	
		Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)		Parts per million		Tons per acre-foot		Tons per day		Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$		Percent calcium-magnesium		Percent sodium-carbonate		Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)		pH	
Oct. 28, 1952	9,480	18	0.00	15	6.5	15	1.5	94	18	8.8	0.1	1.5	0.06	126	0.17	64	0	33	179	7.9											
Nov. 21, 1952	11,600	22	--	14	7.2	14	1.9	79	13	11	.0	4.7	.01	127	.17	65	0	31	168	7.1											
Jan. 23, 1953	72,400	--	--	7.5	3.7	4	1.1	44	--	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	34	0	20	186	7.1										
Feb. 26, 1953	20,200	--	--	15	7.0	11	1.1	81	--	7.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	66	0	26	181	7.5										
Mar. 30, 1953	31,200	--	--	12	5.8	10	--	65	--	7.5	--	.18	--	--	--	--	54	1	29	145	7.3										
Apr. 24, 1953	29,500	--	--	8.8	4.4	6	1	--	52	--	4.0	--	.04	--	--	--	40	0	25	103	7.6										
May 15, 1953	26,300	17	.0	11	5.8	10	1.0	67	10	7.8	.1	.2	.25	.96	.13	.96	.13	51	0	29	146	7.4									
Aug. 21, 1953	8,880	--	--	17	10	21	1.3	108	--	17	--	.02	--	--	--	--	84	0	35	255	7.5										
Sept. 11, 1953	10,500	21	--	14	11	20	1.4	110	18	12	.1	.7	.09	162	.21	80	0	35	247	8.1											
Sept. 12, 1953	10,700	23	--	15	9.7	20	1.4	108	16	11	.1	.2	.11	150	.20	77	0	35	226	8.1											
Sept. 18, 1953	13,100	20	--	16	9.8	20	1.8	108	16	14	.1	.6	.08	152	.21	80	0	34	246	7.8											
Sept. 19, 1953	13,700	22	--	16	10	20	1.5	113	16	12	.1	.5	.10	154	.21	81	0	34	249	8.1											

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## CACHE CREEK NEAR CAPAY, CALIF.

LOCATION.--At gauging station, 1.8 miles upstream from Clear Lake Water Company's diversion dam, 3.2 miles northwest of Capay, Yolo County, and 5.4 miles northwest of Esparto.  
 DRAINAGE AREA--1,032 square miles.  
 RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953.  
 REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron ( $\text{Fe}$ )	Calcium ( $\text{Ca}$ )	Magnesium ( $\text{Mg}$ )	Sodium ( $\text{Na}$ )	Potassium ( $\text{K}$ )	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Carbo-bonate ( $\text{CO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Fluoride ( $\text{F}$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium-magnesium-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	
														Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day				
Oct. 1, 1952 .....	87	9.4	--	33	25	36	2.2	237		17	.38	0.1	0.3	1.3	279	0.38	186	0	29	
Oct. 20 .....	27	11	0.00	24	50	2.5	270		25	.68	.1	.2	1.5	356	.48	228	8	32	503	7.9
Nov. 14 .....	19	14	--	50	33	55	2.6	a 295	31	.87	.1	.9	1.7	421	.57	260	18	31	743	8.4
Dec. 15 .....	404	14	.0	32	42	2.3	202		32	.55	.1	2.2	1.2	307	.42	191	26	32	541	8.0
Jan. 19, 1953 .....	5,240	11	--	23	16	2.0	152		15	.12	.3	2.0	.35	171	.23	123	0	21	302	7.8
Feb. 11 .....	369	17	--	38	39	42	2.2	291	44	.46	.1	1.8	.94	373	.51	256	17	26	649	8.0
Mar. 19 .....	576	12	--	45	39	58	2.3	300	51	.73	.1	.8	1.1	428	.56	268	22	32	752	8.3
Apr. 17 .....	158	13	--	32	41	48	2.5	278	42	.57	.1	.6	1.3	374	.51	248	20	29	665	8.3
May 18 .....	254	11	.0	31	27	32	2.4	225	25	.34	.0	1.3	1.1	276	.38	188	4	27	490	8.3
June 17 .....	481	13	--	27	21	20	2.1	187	16	.19	.1	1.9	.85	154	0	22	376	8.1		
Aug. 17 .....	429	-	--	27	17	16	2.2	173	12	--	.26	--	--	137	0	20	326	8.0		
Sept. 23 .....	53	11	--	36	25	36	2.3	232	20	.42	.2	.1	1.1	287	.39	183	3	28	501	8.2

a Includes equivalent of 8 parts per million of carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3$ ).

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## PUTAH CREEK NEAR WINTERS, CALIF.

LOCATION.--At gaging station 6 miles west of Winters, Yolo County, and 8 miles downstream from Calpella Creek.

DRAGAGE AREA.--577 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)												Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)						
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Car-bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul-fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Fluo-ride (F)	Bo-ron (B)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Tons per mil-lion	Percent sodium adsorption ratio			
Oct. 1, 1952 .....	1.8	28	--	36	64	41	1.6	398	13	49	28	0.1	0.2	458	0.62	353	27	20	756	8.5	
Oct. 20 .....	9.4	24	0.00	38	65	39	1.9	392	16	55	34	.1	.1	.97	466	.63	362	15	19	776	8.4
Nov. 14 .....	11	25	--	41	62	38	1.5	395	12	50	28	.1	.1	454	.62	358	14	19	747	8.4	
Dec. 15 .....	497	25	.0	19	32	12	1.3	195	0	23	9.8	.1	.7	.18	.30	221	19	13	366	7.9	
Jan. 19, 1953 .....	2,700	25	--	13	27	10	1.2	166	0	20	7.8	.3	1.2	.05	187	.25	7	13	306	8.0	
Feb. 11 .....	350	29	--	27	51	19	.9	296	10	38	13	.1	1.4	.27	335	.46	277	18	13	558	8.3
Mar. 11 .....	307	29	--	30	57	19	1.1	332	8	38	12	.1	1.4	.32	359	.49	310	24	12	589	8.4
Apr. 17 .....	a 185	27	--	25	49	17	1.0	302	0	33	12	.1	.3	.31	319	.43	264	16	12	521	8.4
May 18 .....	119	27	.0	25	50	16	1.3	286	16	29	16	.1	.6	.22	322	.44	268	7	11	521	8.5
June 17 .....	44	29	--	32	54	20	1.3	302	24	34	14	.1	.6	.10	358	.49	302	14	13	588	8.6
Aug. 17 .....	7.4	--	--	41	63	37	2.0	389	18	--	28	--	--	.38	--	--	362	12	18	636	8.4
Sept. 23 .....	3.6	28	.00	37	66	40	2.2	394	18	49	30	.2	.4	1.1	466	.63	364	11	19	761	8.6

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

SACRAMENTO RIVER AT SHODGRASS SLOUGH NEAR COURTLAND, CALIF.

LOCATION.—At tidal gaging station 2.0 miles north of Courtland, Sacramento County, and approximately 1.5 miles south of Hood.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Gaging station maintained and operated by State of California Division of Water Resources. No discharge records available for this station due to tidal effects from Suisun Bay.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (sum)												Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per- cent so- dium	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	pH			
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magni- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Po- tas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Car- bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluor- ide (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)						
Oct. 7, 1952 .....	37	0.05	16	8.3	13	1.0	106	4.4	11	0.0	0.0	143	0.19	74	0	27	202	7.7		
Oct. 20 .....	16	.00	13	6.6	11	1.6	81	4.6	7.1	0	.8	100	.14	59	0	28	187	7.6		
Nov. 3 .....	19	.0	13	7.3	11	1.7	81	7.7	7.5	.1	.8	108	.15	62	0	27	163	7.3		
Dec. 3 .....	--	--	17	3.5	9.2	1.2	76	--	--	--	--	--	--	57	0	26	156	7.6		
Dec. 17 .....	26	--	13	5.7	11	1.5	74	11	8.5	.1	1.3	109	.15	56	0	29	162	7.4		
Jan. 6, 1953 .....	--	--	12	6.6	8.2	1.1	69	--	8.0	--	--	--	--	57	1	23	150	7.5		
Jan. 22 .....	12	--	7.4	3.1	6.6	1.3	40	3.5	3.5	.2	.4	.06	.07	54	0	23	80	8		
Feb. 3 .....	17	--	12	5.7	8.2	1.7	69	7.4	5.5	.1	1.3	.02	.03	31	0	24	142	7.4		
Feb. 26 .....	20	--	13	6.8	10	1.1	77	10	8.0	.1	1.4	.03	.08	60	0	26	167	7.3		
Mar. 11 .....	19	--	14	6.6	8.7	.8	72	8.8	7.2	0	.4	.02	.01	62	3	23	156	7.5		
Mar. 26 .....	18	--	9.7	4.6	6.3	.7	56	6.4	3.5	.2	.4	.01	.77	43	0	24	108	7.6		
Apr. 9 .....	16	--	9.3	5.1	6.3	.8	55	5.2	4.8	.1	.6	.00	.75	.10	44	0	23	113	7.4	
Apr. 24 .....	--	--	8.1	5.4	5.4	--	41	4.0	4.0	--	--	--	--	32	0	27	83.9	7.5		
May 11 .....	16	--	1.1	10	4.8	9.8	.9	58	7.8	7.5	.1	.3	.02	.86	.12	45	0	32	135	7.3
May 26 .....	16	.2	10	4.0	9.2	.8	57	7.7	5.5	.0	.1	.03	.81	.11	41	0	32	123	7.7	
June 26 .....	15	--	9.4	4.0	9.0	.5	51	6.1	7.8	.1	.2	.03	.77	.10	40	0	33	118	6.9	
July 14 .....	17	--	12	6.1	11	.9	70	8.5	11	0	1.7	.05	103	.14	55	0	30	166	8.0	
July 24 .....	19	--	14	8.2	15	1.3	86	13	13	0	.0	.09	126	.17	69	0	32	210	7.6	
Aug. 5 .....	23	--	16	8.9	16	1.1	97	14	14	.1	.7	.06	142	.19	76	0	31	226	7.7	
Aug. 26 .....	27	--	16	10	20	1.3	109	17	16	.1	1.7	.04	138	.21	81	0	34	233	7.8	
Sept. 12 .....	--	--	18	11	25	2.0	120	18	18	.1	1.2	.00	179	.24	90	0	37	281	8.2	
Sept. 16 .....	21	--	16	10	20	1.7	110	16	14	.1	.8	.07	154	.21	81	0	34	251	7.5	

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- sium (Na)	Sodium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Dissolved solids (sum)				Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per- cent calcium, non- carbon- ate residue	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or or pH			
										Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)							
SACRAMENTO RIVER AT DELTA (SEC. 35, T. 36., R. 5 W.)																				
Oct. 16, 1952	202	27	0.00	9.0	7.4	12	1.0	79	3.2	8.1	0.1	0.4	0.12	107	0.15	53	0	33	153	7.6
Feb. 10, 1953	1,610	--	0.00	5.5	6.6	3	.3	50	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	41	0	17	89.2	7.3
Mar. 14	1,710	--	0.00	6.4	5.6	4.5	--	51	--	3.8	--	.19	--	--	--	39	0	14	88.2	7.6
May 12	1,670	16	.0	5.0	5.7	2.8	.3	48	2.3	2.2	.0	.2	.00	.58	.08	36	0	14	79.2	7.4
Aug. 30	344	--	0.00	7.4	8.2	8	1.0	70	--	6.0	--	.13	.00	.25	.25	52	0	25	239	7.2
Sept. 14	241	20	.01	8.6	7.7	10	1.2	76	3.5	8.0	.1	.3	.18	.106	.14	53	0	28	143	8.0

## PIT RIVER NEAR CANBY (SEC. 10, T. 41 N., R. 9 E.)

Oct. 16, 1952	96	31	0.00	20	8.0	22	4.5	138	12	6.2	0.0	1.0	0.10	173	0.24	83	0	35	254	7.8
Oct. 25, 1953	580	--	0.00	13	5.2	14	--	85	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	54	0	36	175	7.6
Mar. 15	205	--	0.00	16	5.6	4.5	--	105	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	63	0	37	200	7.8
Apr. 15	432	31	.1	15	5.2	14	3.7	97	6.6	2.0	--	1.3	.00	.127	.17	56	0	32	175	7.9
May 6	104	34	--	19	9.0	21	5.1	140	8.2	5.0	.5	.9	.07	.172	.23	84	0	33	254	7.7

## BURNET CREEK NEAR BURNET (SEC. 18, T. 35 N., R. 3 E.)

Oct. 16, 1952	--	30	0.00	11	4.8	4	1.4	70	0.6	0.8	0.0	0.3	0.02	88	0.12	47	0	17	103	7.5
Mar. 26, 1953	--	5.8	2.7	3.4	--	39	--	.5	--	.5	--	--	--	--	--	24	0	26	60.2	7.4
Apr. 15	--	0	4.0	1.9	2.0	4	--	27	.7	.5	--	.0	.01	--	--	26	0	22	62.4	7.3
May 6	--	17	.8	5.2	3.8	1.1	--	62	--	1.5	--	.0	.04	.40	.05	18	0	19	42.3	7.5
Aug. 12	--	31	--	10	5.6	4.1	--	68	2.1	.2	.1	.1	.06	.08	.12	46	0	15	98.1	7.2
Sept. 23	--	31	--	10	5.6	4.1	--	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	48	0	15	105	7.5

## PIT RIVER NEAR MONTGOMERY CREEK (SEC. 32, T. 35 N., R. 1 W.)

Oct. 17, 1952	5,880	32	0.00	11	6.5	12	1.8	91	3.0	3.6	0.1	0.3	0.03	115	0.16	54	0	32	157	7.9
Feb. 16, 1953	4,880	--	0.00	12	5.0	10	1.6	78	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	28	137	7.6
Mar. 15	2,850	--	0.00	13	5.2	9	2	79	--	4.0	--	.03	.03	--	--	54	0	27	138	7.9
May 15	4,860	28	.00	11	5.1	8	2	75	4.0	3.2	.6	.05	.99	.13	.08	48	0	26	156	7.7
Sept. 15	2,660	35	.00	11	6.4	11	2.0	88	2.9	3.5	.0	.3	.08	.115	.16	54	0	30	155	7.5

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Ca-calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Calcium, magnesium, non-carbonate clay	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH
Oct. 17, 1952.....	1,020	37	0.00	10	2.9	1.5	1.6	1.5	0.0	0.1	0.03	88	0.12	37	0	25	93.9	8.0		
May 13, 1953.....	1,920	25	.0	9.6	3.6	4.3	1.2	53	2.5	3.0	1.4	.09	.77	.10	39	0	19	94.1	7.3	
Sept. 15, 1953.....	1,100	34	.02	8.6	3.5	6.1	1.4	56	2.2	1.5	.0	.1	.02	.85	.12	36	0	26	95.9	7.7

## MCCLLOUD RIVER ABOVE SHASTA RESERVOIR (SEC. 28, T. 36 N., R. 3 W.)

Oct. 21, 1952.....	4,580	21	0.00	10	3.6	6.3	1.1	55	4.8	1.8	0.0	0.3	0.05	76	0.10	40	0	25	103	7.6
Feb. 13, 1953.....	12,000	--	10	3.9	6.1	1.2	57	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	41	0	24	107	107	7.1	
Mar. 17.....	4,030	--	11	4.0	5.6	--	60	--	2.5	--	--	.10	--	44	0	22	111	111	7.3	
May 4.....	8,000	24	1.1	4.2	9.2	.9	56	11	6.2	.0	.03	.95	.13	45	0	30	128	128	7.5	
Sept. 14.....	8,550	21	.03	10	4.0	5.8	1.2	59	5.0	2.0	.1	.01	.79	.11	41	0	23	110	110	7.5

## SACRAMENTO RIVER NEAR KESWICK (SEC. 28, T. 32 N., R. 5 W.)

Oct. 21, 1952.....	5,700	21	0.00	8.6	4.5	5.8	1.4	56	4.3	1.8	0.0	0.3	0.03	75	0.10	40	0	23	98.1	7.3
Jan. 15, 1953.....	4,617,000	--	10	5.3	7.8	1.3	63	--	2.8	--	--	--	--	47	0	26	120	120	7.2	
Feb. 14.....	a11,700	--	9.7	4.1	6.1	1.1	58	--	2.5	--	.01	--	--	41	0	24	105	105	7.4	
Mar. 13.....	a.3,970	--	11	3.8	6.5	--	58	--	2.5	--	.02	.82	.11	43	0	25	115	115	7.7	
May 12.....	a.6,530	20	.0	10	5.1	6.1	1.2	58	7.0	3.2	.0	.5	.02	82	.11	46	0	22	112	112
Sept. 1.....	a.9,630	--	.01	9.4	4.5	5.4	.9	58	--	3.0	.0	.08	--	42	0	21	107	107	6.9	
Sept. 15.....	8,040	27	.01	9.8	4.5	6.1	1.2	61	4.6	2.0	.0	1.2	.07	86	.12	43	0	23	113	7.5

## SACRAMENTO RIVER NEAR REDDING (SEC. 18, T. 31 N., R. 4 W.)

Oct. 15, 1952.....	5,700	21	0.00	8.6	4.5	5.8	1.4	56	4.3	1.8	0.0	0.3	0.03	75	0.10	40	0	23	98.1	7.3
Jan. 15, 1953.....	4,617,000	--	10	5.3	7.8	1.3	63	--	2.8	--	--	--	--	47	0	26	120	120	7.2	
Feb. 14.....	a11,700	--	9.7	4.1	6.1	1.1	58	--	2.5	--	.01	--	--	41	0	24	105	105	7.4	
Mar. 13.....	a.3,970	--	11	3.8	6.5	--	58	--	2.5	--	.02	.82	.11	43	0	25	115	115	7.7	
May 12.....	a.6,530	20	.0	10	5.1	6.1	1.2	58	7.0	3.2	.0	.5	.02	82	.11	46	0	22	112	112
Sept. 1.....	a.9,630	--	.01	9.4	4.5	6.1	1.2	61	4.6	2.0	.0	1.2	.07	86	.12	43	0	23	113	7.5
Sept. 15.....	8,040	27	.01	9.8	4.5	6.1	1.2	61	4.6	2.0	.0	1.2	.07	86	.12	43	0	23	113	7.5

## COTTONWOOD CREEK NEAR COTTONWOOD (SEC. 7, T. 29 N., R. 3 W.)

Jan. 15, 1953.....	2,790	--	--	19	8.8	6.1	1.0	97	--	4.0	--	--	--	84	4	12	168	168	7.5	
Feb. 19.....	829	--	--	25	10	8.7	.8	122	--	5.8	--	--	--	104	4	15	233	233	8.2	
Mar. 27.....	950	--	--	23	9.6	6.9	--	113	--	5.5	--	--	--	97	4	13	211	211	8.0	
Apr. 15.....	635	--	--	23	9.3	8.2	--	115	--	5.0	--	.02	--	96	1	16	217	217	7.7	
May 7.....	758	18	0.0	20	8.7	6.7	.8	104	9.1	4.0	0.0	.2	.11	119	0.16	0.16	186	186	8.2	
Aug. 10.....	97	--	--	21	10	8.2	1.1	117	--	7.5	--	.02	.08	94	0	16	214	214	7.4	
Sept. 23.....	76	24	--	18	10	8.7	1.3	113	5.8	7.0	.1	.2	.08	131	.18	86	0	18	202	7.7

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## MILL CREEK NEAR LOS MOLINOS (SEC. 9, T. 25 N., R. 2 W.)

Oct. 10.	1952.....	123	37	0.00	12	4.9	15	2.5	61	11	18	0.0	0.1	0.39	130	0.18	50	0	38	175	7.5
Jan. 15.	1953.....	865	--	8.0	2.7	5.6	1.0	.41	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	31	0	27	87.1	7.4
Feb. 19.	.....	221	--	4.2	12	2.0	.54	12	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	41	0	38	140	7.9
Mar. 13.	.....	235	--	9.7	4.3	12	--	49	--	12	--	--	--	--	--	--	42	2	38	142	7.8
Apr. 15.	.....	265	--	9.7	3.5	12	--	36	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	9	9	135	6.8
May 12.	.....	380	29	.0	7.6	3.4	8.2	1.5	42	9.3	6.8	.0	.2	.17	.87	.12	33	0	34	108	7.7
Aug. 12.	.....	151	--	12	4.5	12	2.1	.51	13	--	13	--	.24	--	--	--	48	7	34	151	7.4
Sept. 23.	.....	120	--	5.6	14	2.1	.62	13	--	14	.0	.1	.51	.17	.16	.16	53	2	36	176	8.0

## DEER CREEK NEAR VINA (SEC. 14, T. 24 N., R. 2 W.)

Oct. 15.	1952.....	121	36	0.00	11	5.3	12	2.0	82	2.9	5.0	0.0	0.2	0.10	115	0.16	49	0	34	143	7.7
Jan. 15.	1953.....	1,320	--	--	7.0	3.7	3.8	.9	46	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	33	0	20	74.8	7.4
Feb. 19.	.....	277	--	--	8.3	4.9	7.8	1.1	62	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	41	0	29	106	7.6
Mar. 13.	.....	303	--	--	8.4	4.9	6.9	--	61	--	4.2	--	--	--	--	--	41	0	27	103	7.9
Apr. 15.	.....	353	--	--	7.1	4.8	6.7	--	59	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	37	0	28	100	7.7
May 12.	.....	480	27	.0	6.8	3.6	5.0	1.0	51	1.7	4.8	0	.2	.03	.71	.10	32	0	25	84.9	7.4
Aug. 12.	.....	137	--	--	18	11	11	2.2	132	--	4.8	--	--	--	--	--	90	0	20	215	7.6
Sept. 23.	.....	118	37	--	18	14	13	2.3	149	5.4	4.0	.1	.2	.16	.167	.23	102	0	21	244	7.9

## SACRAMENTO RIVER NEAR HAMILTON CITY (SEC. 20, T. 22 N., R. 1 W.)

Oct. 15.	1952.....	5,920	20	0.00	12	4.3	6.5	1.4	66	4.4	2.8	0.1	0.2	0.06	84	0.11	48	0	22	120	7.5
Jan. 15.	1953.....	78,200	--	--	9.3	5.1	6.3	1.2	62	--	2.5	--	--	--	--	--	44	0	23	114	7.4
Feb. 19.	.....	8,730	--	--	15	5.4	8.2	1.2	76	--	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	60	0	23	146	7.9
Mar. 27.	.....	10,300	--	--	13	5.3	6.5	--	70	--	3.8	--	--	--	--	--	54	0	21	136	8.0
Apr. 22.	.....	6,280	--	--	12	6.2	7.4	--	72	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	55	0	23	139	7.8
May 7.	.....	8,930	23	.0	11	5.2	6.5	1.0	67	5.5	2.8	.1	.4	.00	.88	.12	49	0	22	124	7.9
Aug. 13.	.....	8,240	--	--	10	4.8	6.3	1.1	63	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	45	0	23	117	7.0
Sept. 24.	.....	7,400	25	--	12	6.1	6.5	1.0	71	8.7	2.0	.0	.2	.04	.97	.13	55	0	20	125	7.8

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued						
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Pota- sium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )
BIG CHICO CREEK NEAR CHICO (SEC. 9, T. 22 N., R. 2 E.)							
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	30	24	0.05	12	5.9	9.2	1.1
Jan. 14, 1953 .....	1,290	--	--	6.1	2.8	.4	.37
Feb. 18 .....	82	--	--	11	6.1	7.4	.72
Mar. 13 .....	88	--	--	10	5.3	6.9	.62
Apr. 22 .....	110	--	--	11	5.7	7.4	.70
May 12 .....	125	30	--	10	6.1	6.1	.7
Aug. 20 .....	31	--	--	15	8.6	12	1.0
Sept. 22 .....	26	37	--	16	8.7	14	1.0
STONY CREEK NEAR HAMILTON CITY ( SEC. 36, T. 22 N., R. 2 W.)							
Oct. 15, 1952 .....	4,320	13	0.00	36	16	9.9	17
Jan. 15, 1953 .....	285	--	--	22	15	9.9	10
Feb. 19 .....	580	--	--	34	15	.8	15.8
Mar. 27 .....	183	--	--	30	12	15	--
Apr. 22 .....	391	15	--	28	13	13	--
May 7 .....	7.5	--	--	35	14	15	1.0
Aug. 13 .....	13	--	--	33	16	16	1.0
Sept. 24 .....							
BUTTE CREEK NEAR CHICO (SEC. 36, T. 22 N., R. 2 E.)							
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	84	24	0.00	12	6.0	5.4	0.9
Jan. 14, 1953 .....	1,860	--	--	5.3	3.1	1.6	.5
Feb. 18 .....	372	--	--	7.8	3.7	3.8	.5
Mar. 13 .....	449	--	--	9.2	3.6	4.0	--
Apr. 22 .....	302	--	--	6.9	2.7	3.4	--
May 12 .....	589	20	--	6.2	4.1	2.5	--
Aug. 20 .....	156	--	--	14	3.4	3.4	.8
Sept. 22 .....	164	24	--	11	4.8	4.5	.9

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued						
	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Pota- sium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )
Dissolved Solids (sum)							
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	54	0	26	140	8.1		
Jan. 14, 1953 .....	27	0	18	64.6	7.4		
Feb. 18 .....	53	0	23	133	7.8		
Mar. 13 .....	47	0	24	117	7.9		
Apr. 22 .....	51	0	24	91.4	7.8		
May 12 .....	50	0	21	118	7.8		
Aug. 20 .....	73	0	26	193	7.8		
Sept. 22 .....	76	0	28	194	8.4		
Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>							
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	156	5	19	357	8.2		
Jan. 15, 1953 .....	96	5	18	223	7.7		
Feb. 19 .....	147	17	18	336	8.1		
Mar. 27 .....	124	10	21	300	7.4		
Apr. 22 .....	128	10	18	297	8.2		
May 7 .....	111	3	18	287	8.2		
Aug. 13 .....	145	0	18	327	8.5		
Sept. 24 .....	148	1	19	346	8.0		
Calcium, Non- carbon- ate							
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	2.8	0.1	0.00	91	0.12	0	
Jan. 14, 1953 .....	2.0	--	--	--	--	26	0
Feb. 18 .....	.5	--	--	--	--	35	0
Mar. 13 .....	2.5	--	--	--	--	38	0
Apr. 22 .....	2.5	--	--	--	--	28	0
May 12 .....	.9	--	--	--	--	30	0
Aug. 20 .....	.3	.04	.06	.56	.08	49	0
Sept. 22 .....	.8	.0	.20	.80	.11	47	0
						17	
Sodium adsorption ratio							
Oct. 22, 1952 .....	55	0	17	125	7.6		
Jan. 14, 1953 .....	26	0	13	58.0	7.3		
Feb. 18 .....	35	0	19	84.8	7.6		
Mar. 13 .....	38	0	19	83.1	7.6		
Apr. 22 .....	30	0	21	66.9	7.5		
May 12 .....	30	0	17	70.1	7.5		
Aug. 20 .....	49	0	13	104	7.3		
Sept. 22 .....	47	0	17	119	7.8		

b Includes equivalent of 12 parts per million of carbonate (CaCO<sub>3</sub>).

## COUSA TROUGH NEAR COLUSA (SEC. 34, T. 16 N., R. 2 W.)

Oct. 15, 1952 . . . . .	a 569	22	0.00	26	17	44	2.3	167	63	.28	0.2	0.7	0.04	286	0.39	136	0	41	479	7.6
Jan. 15, 1953 . . . . .	2, 640	--	--	21	55	3.7	171	--	36	--	--	--	--	--	--	139	0	45	512	7.3
Feb. 19. . . . .	198	--	--	56	45	135	1.7	b 328	--	100	--	--	--	--	--	324	56	47	1,170	8.6
Mar. 27. . . . .	573	--	--	32	16	34	--	166	--	26	--	--	--	--	--	146	10	34	146	7.4
Apr. 22. . . . .	a 282	--	--	24	18	62	--	163	--	36	--	--	--	--	--	134	0	50	550	9.1
May 7. . . . .	859	13	.2	23	18	64	2.2	172	83	.32	.2	1.3	.25	321	.44	132	0	51	535	7.9
Aug. 13. . . . .	686	--	--	28	23	69	1.6	222	--	41	--	.14	.47	164	0	47	47	595	7.6	
Sept. 24. . . . .	1,040	18	--	27	22	65	2.4	212	68	.39	.6	.9	.20	347	.47	158	0	47	581	7.9

## SACRAMENTO SLOUGH NEAR KNIGHTS LANDING (SEC. 20, T. 11 N., R. 3 E.)

Oct. 23, 1952 . . . . .	a 260	26	0.00	36	26	34	2.2	251	11	.38	0.0	0.4	0.15	297	0.40	197	0	27	509	8.1
Jan. 13, 1953 . . . . .	a 3,380	--	--	17	12	21	1.4	98	--	132	--	.14	--	--	--	92	11	33	216	7.9
Feb. 10. . . . .	--	--	--	20	13	19	1.9	132	--	198	--	29	--	--	--	103	0	28	263	7.6
Mar. 12. . . . .	--	--	--	29	20	28	--	128	--	26	--	.04	--	--	--	155	0	28	405	6.0
Apr. 23. . . . .	a 0	--	--	21	13	18	--	130	12	12	.1	1.4	.08	161	.22	106	1	27	291	8.0
May 15. . . . .	a 994	20	.1	23	9.9	17	1.6	227	24	.7	--	.04	.22	98	0	27	27	259	7.6	
Aug. 21. . . . .	a 552	--	--	30	23	29	1.4	212	6.2	.14	.3	.4	.10	228	.31	169	0	27	424	8.3
Sept. 23. . . . .	a 1,220	30	--	27	19	25	1.8	212	.7	--	--	--	--	145	0	27	27	373	7.9	

## INDIAN CREEK NEAR CRESCENT MILLS (SEC. 25, T. 26 N., R. 9 E.)

Oct. 17, 1952 . . . . .	67	20	0.00	19	6.2	9.6	1.7	99	6.3	4.4	0.1	0.3	0.08	116	0.16	73	0	22	181	7.5
Mar. 25, 1953 . . . . .	1,240	--	--	8.5	3.3	5.0	--	52	--	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	35	0	24	85	4.7
Apr. 14 . . . . .	895	--	--	10	3.1	5.4	--	56	--	1.0	--	.02	.02	--	--	38	0	24	92.7	7.3
May 5 . . . . .	1,490	23	.6	8.8	2.3	4.1	1.0	46	.8	2.5	.1	.2	.02	66	.09	31	0	21	79.4	7.8
Aug. 11. . . . .	27	--	--	22	6.3	20	2.1	107	--	2.5	--	.00	.00	--	--	81	0	34	191	7.1
Sept. 22. . . . .	25	28	--	22	7.9	10	1.7	115	7.7	4.2	.0	.2	.07	138	.19	87	0	20	211	7.4

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

b Includes equivalent of 12 parts per million of carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3$ s).

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlor- ide (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per- cent so- dium adsorp- tion	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	pH	Ca- or Co-
Oct. 17, 1952.....	2,540	14	0.05	10	4.5	5.0	0.9	61	1.8	1.5	0.0	0.3	0.00	68	0.09	43	0	20	103	7.4		
Jan. 14, 1953.....	29,500	--	5.3	8.0	3.3	4.1	.8	50	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	26	0	21	59.0		
Feb. 18.....	6,060	--	8.0	3.4	4.1	5.0	--	50	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	34	0	20	84.9	7.8	
Mar. 13.....	5,500	--	7.4	4.0	3.8	--	50	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	35	0	19	83.7	7.7	
Apr. 22.....	7,220	--	7.8	2.1	2.8	--	40	--	8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	28	0	18	67.8	7.2	
May 12.....	9,600	14	.0	6.7	3.2	3.1	.6	41	2.1	1.5	.0	.2	.01	.51	.07	.07	30	0	18	96.7	7.6	
Aug. 20.....	2,700	--	12	2.9	3.8	.8	.8	58	--	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	42	0	16	96.8	7.5	
Sept. 27.....	2,750	9.0	.03	10	4.8	4.1	1.1	61	1.8	2.0	.0	.2	.07	.63	.09	.09	45	0	16	102	7.7	

## FEATHER RIVER NEAR OROVILLE (SEC. 2, T. 19 N., R. 4 E.)

Jan. 14, 1953.....	152	--	5.9	3.7	4.3	0.3	42	--	2.8	0.1	--	--	0.6	0.00	83	0.11	30	0	24	76.5	7.2
Jan. 27.....	40	0.00	8.2	10	6.1	6.8	.4	54	4.5	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	0	28	104	
Feb. 18.....	10	--	10	6.1	9.6	.3	68	--	4.2	4.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	29	162	7.6
Mar. 13.....	78	--	9.9	6.1	9.6	--	70	--	4.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	30	135	7.6
Apr. 22.....	12	--	12	5.9	12	--	77	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	54	0	33	148	7.3
May 12.....	8.7	--	12	5.5	8.7	.5	75	6.3	4.5	.1	.1	.01	.10	.14	.14	.14	53	0	26	134	8.0
Sept. 27.....	11	26	.0	12	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

## SOUTH HONCUT CREEK NEAR BANGOR (SEC. 35, T. 18 N., R. 5 E.)

Oct. 2, 1952.....	695	16	0.00	14	3.4	3.6	1.1	57	6.0	2.8	0.1	0.0	0.04	75	0.10	49	2	13	108	7.4	
Oct. 22.....	660	15	.00	14	3.9	4.1	.7	61	6.3	2.2	.0	.0	.11	76	.10	51	1	15	85.5	7.7	
Jan. 14, 1953.....	13,200	--	--	5.9	1.8	1.6	.6	28	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	22	0	13	48.2	7.4
Feb. 18.....	2,030	--	--	7.7	2.6	2.0	.4	37	--	7	--	--	--	--	--	--	30	0	13	66.1	7.4
Mar. 13.....	2,770	--	--	9.2	2.2	2.0	.4	40	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	32	0	12	72.5	7.6
Apr. 22.....	5,910	--	--	7.8	2.3	2.0	.4	37	--	1.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	29	0	13	66.6	7.4
May 15.....	4,350	13	.0	6.3	2.5	2.2	.4	34	2.7	1.0	.0	.2	.01	45	.06	26	0	15	57.1	7.7	
Aug. 21.....	709	--	--	12	2.2	2.6	.6	49	--	1.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	0	12	83.2	7.6
Sept. 21.....	676	14	--	14	4.6	2.4	.5	58	8.2	1.2	.1	.0	.04	74	.10	54	6	9	112	7.6	

## YUBA RIVER NEAR SMARTSVILLE (SEC. 14, T. 16 N., R. 6 E.)

Oct. 2, 1952.....	695	16	0.00	14	3.4	3.6	1.1	57	6.0	2.8	0.1	0.0	0.04	75	0.10	49	2	13	108	7.4	
Oct. 22.....	660	15	.00	14	3.9	4.1	.7	61	6.3	2.2	.0	.0	.11	76	.10	51	1	15	85.5	7.7	
Jan. 14, 1953.....	13,200	--	--	5.9	1.8	1.6	.6	28	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	22	0	13	48.2	7.4
Feb. 18.....	2,030	--	--	7.7	2.6	2.0	.4	37	--	7	--	--	--	--	--	--	30	0	13	66.1	7.4
Mar. 13.....	2,770	--	--	9.2	2.2	2.0	.4	40	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	32	0	12	72.5	7.6
Apr. 22.....	5,910	--	--	7.8	2.3	2.0	.4	37	--	1.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	29	0	13	66.6	7.4
May 15.....	4,350	13	.0	6.3	2.5	2.2	.4	34	2.7	1.0	.0	.2	.01	45	.06	26	0	15	57.1	7.7	
Aug. 21.....	709	--	--	12	2.2	2.6	.6	49	--	1.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	0	12	83.2	7.6
Sept. 21.....	676	14	--	14	4.6	2.4	.5	58	8.2	1.2	.1	.0	.04	74	.10	54	6	9	112	7.6	

## CLEAR LAKE (NORTH END) CLEAR LAKE OAKS (SEC. 27, T. 14 N., R. 8 W.)

Oct. 14, 1952	...	0.3	0.00	24	16	12	1.8	161	9.2	7.5	0.1	1.0	0.82	151	0.21	126	0	16	285	7.8
Jan. 16, 1953	...	--	--	22	15	11	1.8	154	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	121	0	17	282	7.4
Feb. 20	...	--	--	22	15	11	2.0	142	--	7.8	--	--	--	--	--	117	0	17	259	8.1
Mar. 18	...	--	--	22	15	12	--	141	--	6.0	--	--	--	--	--	117	1	18	260	7.7
Apr. 16	...	--	--	31	8.5	11	--	136	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	112	1	18	248	8.0
May 8	...	11	--	22	14	10	1.9	140	9.0	8.5	.1	4.7	.67	147	.20	112	0	16	255	8.1
Aug. 13	...	--	--	23	16	10	2.0	b156	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	123	0	15	268	8.5
Sept. 24	...	4.6	--	23	17	12	1.9	160	10	5.5	.0	.8	.89	154	.21	127	0	17	281	8.2

## CLEAR LAKE (WEST SIDE) LAKEPORT (SEC. 24, T. 14 N., R. 10 W.)

Oct. 14, 1952	...	0.7	0.00	21	17	13	2.3	163	9.1	8.0	0.1	0.2	0.93	152	0.21	122	0	18	289	7.5
Jan. 16, 1953	...	--	--	18	12	8.7	1.8	116	--	5.8	--	--	--	--	--	94	0	16	219	7.4
Feb. 20	...	--	--	20	13	10	2.6	128	--	5.2	--	--	--	--	--	103	0	17	239	7.4
Mar. 18	...	--	--	19	14	10	--	130	--	6.0	--	--	--	--	--	105	0	17	240	7.5
Apr. 16	...	--	--	21	13	11	9.6	--	133	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	106	0	16	241	7.7
May 8	...	11	.3	20	13	9.6	2.1	134	9.7	5.0	.3	4.0	.43	141	.19	103	0	16	244	7.9
Aug. 13	...	--	--	23	15	11	1.9	152	--	7.5	--	--	--	--	--	119	0	16	266	8.2
Sept. 24	...	11	--	25	16	11	2.1	168	8.1	6.5	.0	.2	.84	163	.22	128	0	15	295	7.0

## CACHE CREEK NEAR LOWER LAKE (SEC. 6, T. 12 N., R. 6 W.)

Oct. 14, 1952	...	26	2.2	0.00	25	18	14	2.3	172	9.1	8.0	0.1	2.4	0.96	166	0.23	136	0	18	308	7.3
Jan. 16, 1953	...	2,550	--	--	23	16	12	2.1	155	--	8.0	--	--	--	--	123	0	17	286	7.5	
Feb. 20	...	9.2	--	--	24	17	13	2.1	164	--	7.0	--	--	--	--	130	0	18	300	8.1	
Mar. 18	...	7.8	--	--	24	22	20	--	176	--	21	--	--	--	--	132	0	18	365	7.6	
Apr. 16	...	6.0	--	--	25	17	13	--	165	--	7.2	--	--	--	--	132	0	18	299	7.9	
May 8	...	295	.5	.23	16	11	2.4	156	10	5.8	.2	3.7	.61	157	.21	123	0	16	280	7.9	
Aug. 14	...	437	8.5	--	24	15	10	1.8	155	--	6.5	--	--	--	--	122	0	15	277	7.9	
Sept. 24	...	77	4.8	--	24	17	12	2.2	162	11	6.5	.0	2.4	.85	160	.22	130	0	16	311	7.3

b Includes equivalent of 6 parts per million of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub>).

## SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SACRAMENTO RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	NORTH FORK CACHE CREEK NEAR LOWER LAKE (SEC. 31, T. 14 N., R. 6 W.)										LINDSAY SLough NEAR RIO VISTA (SEC. 25, T. 5 N., R. 2 W.)										SACRAMENTO RIVER NEAR RIO VISTA (SEC. 31, T. 4 N., R. 3 E.)							
		Dissolved solids (sum)					Parts per milliliter					Tons per acre-foot					Parts per ton per day					Tons per acre-foot					Parts per ton per day		
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Car- bonate (CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	Non- carbonate (Ca)	Calcium, magni- um	Non- carbonate (Ca)	Car- bonate (CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	Non- carbonate (Ca)	Car- bonate (CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	Non- carbonate (Ca)	Car- bonate (CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	Non- carbonate (Ca)	Car- bonate (CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	Non- carbonate (Ca)	Car- bonate (CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	Non- carbonate (Ca)	Car- bonate (CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	Non- carbonate (Ca)
Oct. 14, 1952	1.1	21	0.00	46	39	49	9.8	2.2	27.8	17	.75	0.0	0.5	4.4	41.2	0.56	27.6	42	28	742	8.2	227	7.8	392	8.2	227	7.8		
Jan. 16, 1953	1,140	--	--	16	13	9	.9	1.22	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	93	0	18	0	18	0	18	0	18	0	18	0	
Feb. 20	134	--	--	27	27	20	.9	21.6	--	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	178	1	20	1	20	1	20	1	20	1	20	1	
Mar. 19	1,430	--	--	17	12	15	--	11.4	--	1.1	--	--	--	--	--	--	92	0	26	1	26	1	26	1	26	1	26	1	
Apr. 16	107	--	--	27	23	18	--	19.6	--	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	162	1	19	1	19	1	19	1	19	1	19	1	
May 8	123	19	0	25	20	16	1.0	179	13	15	.1	.46	.198	.27	.145	.0	19	1	25	17	534	8.2	19	1	25	17	534	8.2	
Aug. 13	4.1	--	37	30	33	1.8	24.3	--	48	--	.1	.2	.0	.342	.47	.252	.41	22	22	602	8.4	602	8.4	602	8.4	602	8.4		
Sept. 24	3.0	20	.00	40	37	33	1.9	a257	15	66	.1	.0	1.9	.342	.47	.252	.41	22	22	602	8.4	602	8.4	602	8.4	602	8.4		
Oct. 28, 1952	17	0.00	15	8.2	15	1.7	9.1	11	12	0.1	1.4	0.10	126	0.17	71	0	31	0	31	0	31	0	31	0	31	0	31	0	
Jan. 22, 1953	--	--	21	17	28	2.2	14.6	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	122	3	33	3	33	3	33	3	33	3	33	3	
Feb. 13	--	--	22	18	27	1.8	1.47	--	22	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	129	8	31	8	31	8	31	8	31	8	31	8	
Mar. 11	--	--	20	12	20	1.1	11.5	--	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	99	5	30	5	30	5	30	5	30	5	30	5	
Apr. 13	--	--	14	10	11	--	9.0	--	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	76	2	24	2	24	2	24	2	24	2	24	2	
May 11	15	.5	--	14	13	1.3	9.4	13	8.3	16	.1	.4	.06	11.9	.16	71	.16	71	.16	71	.16	71	.16	71	.16	71	.16		
Aug. 20	--	--	17	11	20	1.6	10.9	--	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	88	0	33	0	33	0	33	0	33	0	33	0	
Sept. 16	21	--	18	14	20	1.7	127	25	24	.3	.7	.16	.196	.27	.27	.27	102	0	33	0	33	0	33	0	33	0	33	0	
Oct. 28, 1952	16	0.00	14	6.9	12	1.7	8.4	8.7	10	0.1	0.9	0.08	112	0.16	63	0	28	0	28	0	28	0	28	0	28	0	28	0	
Jan. 22, 1953	--	--	14	6.0	9	6	1.7	7.3	--	7.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	0	25	0	25	0	25	0	25	0	25	0	
Feb. 13	--	--	14	7.5	11	1.0	8.1	--	9.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	66	0	25	0	25	0	25	0	25	0	25	0	
Mar. 11	--	--	15	8.9	13	--	8.8	--	11.1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	74	2	29	2	29	2	29	2	29	2	29	2	
Mar. 13	--	--	6.1	6.9	--	6.4	--	5.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	53	0	22	0	22	0	22	0	22	0	22	0	
May 11	16	.2	9.8	6.0	9.8	.8	6.0	10	6.8	.0	.1	.12	.89	.12	.12	.12	49	0	30	0	30	0	30	0	30	0	30	0	
Aug. 20	--	--	17	17	9.9	20	1.4	10.6	--	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	83	0	34	0	34	0	34	0	34	0	34	0	
Sept. 11	21	--	17	11	24	2.2	11.5	19	.1	.1.6	.13	.171	.23	.23	.23	.23	88	0	37	0	37	0	37	0	37	0	37	0	
Sept. 16	19	--	16	12	23	1.7	11.6	18	.1	1.0	.07	.167	.23	.23	.23	.23	89	0	35	0	35	0	35	0	35	0	35	0	

a Includes equivalent of 6 parts per million of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>).

## NAPA RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN NAPA RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>			Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or	pH					
										Boron (B)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> ) (F)	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Bo- ron Parts per mil- lion	Non- carbon- ate Parts per mil- lion	Calci- um, mag- ne- sium Tons per acre- foot	Sodium adsorp- tion ratio						
NAPA RIVER NEAR ST. HELENA (SEC. 33, T. 8 N., R. 5 W.)																							
Oct. 20, 1952	0.7	32	0.00	38	17	20	3.3	7.4	1.9	198	24	0.1	2.3	0.28	0.33	165	2	20	385	7.6			
Jan. 19, 1953	—	870	—	11	5.8	—	—	—	—	5.2	—	—	—	—	—	51	0	23	136	7.3			
Feb. 11	—	48	—	—	18	7.8	14	6.9	9.9	93	—	10	—	—	—	77	1	26	219	7.6			
Mar. 11	—	30	—	—	19	9.9	18	—	—	107	—	16	—	—	—	88	0	31	255	7.4			
Apr. 17	—	32	—	—	18	8.3	16	—	—	100	—	12	—	—	—	24	—	31	229	7.7			
May 18	—	26	—	—	16	13	—	1.8	1.8	156	44	8.6	.2	1.3	.29	158	30	15	354	8.0			
Aug. 14	—	14	—	—	37	16	19	16	1.8	b179	—	10	—	—	—	153	9	18	362	8.4			
Sep. 24	—	1.5	—	—	31	.01	33	17	17	1.9	183	23	12	.2	.32	.27	238	.31	152	2	19	358	7.9

<sup>a</sup> Mean daily discharge (cfs).<sup>b</sup> Includes equivalent of 5 parts per million of carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>).

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## RUSSIAN RIVER BASIN

## EAST FORK RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR CALPELLA, CALIF.

LOCATION.--Approximately 0.2 mile below gage, 3 miles east of Calpella, Mendocino County, and 1.6 miles downstream from Cold Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.--94.0 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953.

REMARKS.--Values reported for dissolved solids are sums of determined constituents. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Carbo-borate ( $\text{CO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH	
														Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day					
Oct. 6, 1952.....	276	6.9	0.00	20	6.5	6.5	0.7	.96	5.9	3.4	0.0	0.3	0.28	98	0.13	77	0	15	172	7.7	
Jan. 12, 1953.....	1,480	--	--	13	7.0	5.4	1.4	7.4	--	1.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	61	1	16	138	7.2
Feb. 13.....	382	--	--	16	6.1	5.6	.7	8.2	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	65	0	16	149	7.7
Mar. 9.....	337	--	--	18	5.9	6.1	--	8.6	--	2.5	--	--	.36	--	--	--	69	0	16	155	7.9
Apr. 6.....	354	--	--	17	6.9	6.5	--	8.6	--	3.5	--	--	.16	--	--	--	71	0	17	158	7.5
May 4.....	367	11	.0	17	6.9	5.8	.8	8.3	9.5	3.5	.0	.6	.08	96	.13	71	3	15	157	7.4	
June 25.....	280	11	.0	17	6.1	4.5	.6	7.8	6.9	3.5	.0	.2	.13	88	.12	68	4	13	142	7.9	
Aug. 3.....	255	--	--	18	6.0	5.2	.8	8.4	2.5	--	--	.15	--	--	--	--	70	1	14	156	7.3
Sept. 1.....	305	17	.01	30	15	10	1.3	150	13	12	.3	.6	.18	178	.24	137	5	14	156	7.3	
Sept. 14.....	259	8.7	.01	19	7.0	6.1	1.1	94	7.1	3.0	.1	.6	.33	99	.13	76	0	15	173	7.5	

## RUSSIAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## EAST FORK RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR UKIAH, CALIF.

LOCATION.—At gaging station at private road bridge, 1.3 miles upstream from mouth, and 3.7 miles northeast of Ukiah, Mendocino County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—104 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1952 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1952 to September 1953.

Sediment records: December 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 152 ppm Jan. 23-31, Feb. 1-10; minimum, 96 ppm June 1-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 113 ppm Jan. 23-31, Feb. 1-10; minimum, 42 ppm Jan. 6, 7, 9, 14.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 279 micromhos Feb. 10; minimum, 89.8 micromhos Jan. 7.

Water temperature: Maximum observed, 75°F Aug. 9; Sept. 3, 10, 16; minimum observed, 42°F Jan. 5.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 1,730 ppm Jan. 9; minimum daily, 1 ppm Jan. 29.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 20,600 tons/ton; minimum daily, 1 ton several days during January and February.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Sacramento, Calif. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1285.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, December 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, December 1952 to September 1953												Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Dissolved solids (Paris) Tons per acre-foot	Tons per mil-lion	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, non-carbonate	So-dium adsorp-tion ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH		
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-magnesium (Ca)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HC}\text{O}_3^-$ )	Car-bonate ( $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ )	Sul-fate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chlo-ride (Cl)	Ni-trate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Bor-ide (F)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Dissolved solids (Paris) Tons per acre-foot	Tons per mil-lion	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, non-carbonate	So-dium adsorp-tion ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH		
Dec. 11-31, 1952	631	9.0	0.00	15	7.6	4.3	1.2	75	8.6	5.0	0.3	1.0	0.28	100	0.14	170	69	7	12	0.2	158	7.5
Jan. 1-5, 8, 10-13	1,250	21	.00	15	8.0	4.3	.8	80	8.1	4.5	.1	.9	.41	98	.13	337	70	5	12	.2	156	7.6
15-22, 1953	2,350	12	--	9.0	4.8	4.5	1.2	52	6.8	1.8	.1	1.5	.06	87	.09	427	42	0	18	.3	107	7.6
Jan. 6, 7, 9, 14	221	25	.00	13	10.5	1.0	.8	136	15	7.0	.0	1.3	.28	150	.20	90	113	2	16	.4	249	8.2
Feb. 11-28	342	12	.0	17	5.7	6.1	.6	84	7.9	3.5	.1	1.5	.22	97	.13	50	66	0	17	.3	164	7.7
Mar. 1-31	454	12	.0	17	6.2	5.8	.6	82	9.1	3.8	.1	.3	.31	98	.13	120	68	1	16	.3	163	7.8
Apr. 1-30	376	14	.0	17	7.1	6.5	.7	88	9.5	3.5	.0	.0	.19	98	.13	101	72	0	16	.3	163	8.0
May 1-31	353	12	.0	18	6.4	6.1	.7	86	8.4	3.8	.0	.3	.24	97	.13	92	71	1	16	.3	158	7.9
June 1-30	307	8.0	.0	18	5.9	6.1	.7	87	8.8	4.0	.1	.3	.29	96	.13	80	69	0	16	.3	165	8.1
July 1-9, 13, 16, 20	260	14	.01	18	6.7	5.8	.9	86	8.6	3.5	.3	.9	.10	97	.13	68	72	2	15	.3	157	7.9
23, 27	275	6.7	.02	19	5.8	4.5	1.0	86	8.1	3.8	.0	.6	.31	98	.13	74	71	1	12	.2	158	7.5
Aug. 3, 6, 9-10, 13	263	8.9	.02	20	6.7	6.5	.8	95	7.2	4.5	.1	.7	.36	105	.14	75	77	0	15	.3	176	7.9

a Sum of determined constituents.

## RUSSIAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## EAST FORK RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR UKIAH, CALIF.

Temperature (° F) of water, December 1952 to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement usually taken between 7 a. m. and 11 a. m. /

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1			--	49	53	45	51	a 60	52	60	--	--
2			--	49	53	a 45	52	a 60	53	a 61	--	--
3			--	49	51	a 45	55	a 55	52	a 62	a 64	a 75
4			--	49	a 50	a 51	--	56	59	60	--	--
5			--	42	51	46	--	56	57	61	--	--
6			--	49	55	49	--	57	55	a 62	60	--
7			--	50	55	49	50	a 48	57	63	--	68
8			--	51	52	47	48	56	58	59	--	--
9			--	a 49	a 50	47	45	56	57	62	a 75	--
10			--	a 55	49	49	46	53	56	--	64	a 75
11			a 53	a 55	47	47	50	55	58	--	--	--
12			50	54	a 49	47	52	59	59	--	--	--
13			46	55	a 50	a 47	51	57	58	62	a 74	--
14			a 50	50	51	44	--	56	60	--	--	70
15			a 47	49	a 47	47	51	55	60	--	--	--
16			50	47	a 50	46	50	58	59	65	--	--
17			50	49	47	45	50	a 62	60	65	62	a 68
18			50	a 54	46	45	50	48	59	--	63	--
19			48	54	a 49	50	52	58	60	--	--	--
20			47	b 53	44	45	53	58	59	62	66	--
21			a 45	a 47	45	46	55	55	61	--	--	65
22			47	48	44	51	55	52	61	--	--	--
23			a 46	49	45	49	56	a 55	a 61	63	--	--
24			46	50	44	50	56	a 54	61	--	64	a 65
25			a 46	50	45	49	56	51	60	--	--	--
26			48	57	45	50	a 55	52	60	--	--	63
27			49	45	a 55	47	a 56	52	60	64	a 62	--
28			47	46	a 47	49	--	54	61	63	--	64
29			48	51	--	50	a 55	58	61	--	--	--
30			a 50	52	--	48	52	54	61	--	--	--
31			46	52	--	50	--	56	--	--	a 70	--
Aver-			--	50	49	48	52	55	58	--	--	--

a Measured between 11 a. m. and 6 p. m.

b Measured after 6 p. m.

## RUSSIAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## EAST FORK RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR UKIAH, CALIF.--Continued

Suspended sediment December 1952 to September 1953

Day	Suspended sediment			December					
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....							--	--	--
2.....							--	--	--
3.....							--	--	--
4.....							--	--	--
5.....							--	--	--
6.....							--	--	--
7.....							--	--	--
8.....							--	--	--
9.....							--	--	--
10.....							--	--	--
11.....							911	175	430
12.....							572	114	176
13.....							470	95	121
14.....							410	74	82
15.....							376	69	70
16.....							358	71	69
17.....							341	65	60
18.....							327	69	61
19.....							802	365	s 1,200
20.....							690	118	s 255
21.....							458	51	63
22.....							414	50	56
23.....							384	43	45
24.....							366	52	51
25.....							399	52	56
26.....							1,140	1,060	s 7,800
27.....							1,330	747	s 3,560
28.....							662	125	223
29.....							781	320	b 675
30.....							1,340	719	s b 3,150
31.....							714	100	183
Total.							13,245	--	18,396
	January			February			March		
1.....	1,330	360	s 1,310	171	2	1	327	18	16
2.....	885	97	234	160	2	1	324	24	21
3.....	639	59	102	147	2	1	324	15	13
4.....	572	40	62	139	2	1	320	18	16
5.....	516	30	42	139	2	1	320	17	15
6.....	1,480	924	s 4,940	132	3	1	320	20	17
7.....	1,980	1,250	s 8,640	117	2	1	317	17	15
8.....	1,780	1,580	s 13,100	110	2	1	317	15	13
9.....	3,780	1,730	s 20,600	101	3	1	317	13	11
10.....	1,250	380	1,280	110	6	s 3	327	20	18
11.....	747	230	s 555	278	85	64	324	25	22
12.....	1,340	1,210	s 5,690	351	70	66	344	32	30
13.....	1,460	760	s 3,420	358	54	52	324	19	17
14.....	2,190	1,140	s 7,820	358	43	42	324	10	9
15.....	885	170	406	351	36	34	320	13	11
16.....	598	60	97	358	39	38	324	14	12
17.....	2,430	1,260	s 14,400	358	41	40	324	11	10
18.....	2,730	1,360	s b 11,500	358	34	33	358	20	19
19.....	1,840	843	s b 4,490	355	38	36	1,360	804	s 3,080
20.....	1,940	1,340	s b 7,970	348	30	28	1,470	686	s b 3,250
21.....	1,060	1,400	4,010	344	24	22	999	230	s 765
22.....	709	150	287	341	25	23	616	68	113
23.....	563	60	91	341	21	19	524	50	71
24.....	454	28	34	337	24	22	474	40	51
25.....	380	23	24	337	19	17	446	34	41
26.....	324	6	5	330	25	22	422	32	36
27.....	281	7	5	330	24	21	407	31	34
28.....	252	4	3	327	24	21	358	25	24
29.....	231	1	1	--	--	--	388	31	32
30.....	205	2	1	--	--	--	376	30	30
31.....	188	2	1	--	--	--	369	27	27
Total.	35,029	--	111,120	7,486	--	612	14,064	--	7,839

s Computed by subdividing day.

b Computed from partly estimated concentration graph.

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## RUSSIAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## EAST FORK RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR UKIAH, CALIF.--Continued

Suspended sediment December 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June			
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day	
1.....	366	21	21	410	27	30	334	14	13	
2.....	362	20	20	376	26	26	330	15	13	
3.....	351	21	20	358	27	26	330	16	14	
4.....	348	14	13	373	14	14	330	11	10	
5.....	351	25	24	369	24	24	327	12	11	
6.....	348	22	21	369	26	26	376	51	s 53	
7.....	346	18	17	369	24	24	341	25	23	
8.....	344	16	15	362	20	20	334	18	16	
9.....	348	21	20	355	17	16	334	14	13	
10.....	351	18	17	351	17	16	341	15	14	
11.....	344	20	19	351	15	14	334	14	13	
12.....	337	16	15	348	16	15	330	15	13	
13.....	334	15	14	341	14	13	330	15	13	
14.....	334	14	13	341	15	14	330	13	12	
15.....	334	17	15	341	16	15	324	12	10	
16.....	341	16	15	337	15	14	317	14	12	
17.....	337	16	15	337	13	12	304	12	10	
18.....	330	29	26	327	15	13	291	12	9	
19.....	330	20	18	358	20	19	278	12	9	
20.....	330	18	16	344	28	26	278	13	10	
21.....	327	20	18	373	70	b 71	288	13	10	
22.....	324	20	17	344	29	27	275	12	9	
23.....	317	22	19	344	14	13	259	9	6	
24.....	310	19	16	344	13	12	259	8	6	
25.....	310	19	16	362	40	b 39	278	9	7	
26.....	334	23	21	348	15	14	275	10	7	
27.....	1,050	525	s 2, 200	348	20	19	256	13	9	
28.....	499	80	108	341	17	16	288	14	11	
29.....	503	110	149	337	19	17	281	10	8	
30.....	450	55	67	337	17	15	272	12	9	
31.....	--	--	--	337	17	15	--	--	--	
Total.	11,292	--	2,985	10,932	--	635	9,224	--	373	
	July			August			September			
1.....	262	9	6	278	17	a 13	297	9	a 7	
2.....	265	7	5	278	17	a 13	307	10	a 8	
3.....	262	8	6	268	17	12	294	10	8	
4.....	268	15	11	259	17	a 12	268	10	a 7	
5.....	278	14	11	265	17	a 12	294	10	a 8	
6.....	268	8	6	278	30	22	275	11	a 8	
7.....	246	15	10	281	25	a 19	284	11	8	
8.....	252	20	14	281	20	a 16	278	10	a 8	
9.....	240	16	10	297	15	12	268	8	a 6	
10.....	240	16	a 10	288	16	12	268	6	4	
11.....	259	17	a 12	262	13	a 9	272	6	a 4	
12.....	272	18	a 13	252	10	a 7	275	7	a 5	
13.....	272	18	13	256	7	5	278	8	a 6	
14.....	278			262	8	a 6	275	9	7	
15.....	275			262	8	a 6	191	8	a 4	
16.....	268		a 13	278	12	a 9	177	7	a 3	
17.....	268			275	12	9	191	6	3	
18.....	262			262	14	10	202	8	a 4	
19.....	262			249	13	a 9	275	9	a 7	
20.....	243	18	12	249	12	8	294	10	a 8	
21.....	237			259	12	a 8	252	11	7	
22.....	240			272	11	a 8	216	10	a 6	
23.....	246			275	10	a 7	210	9	a 5	
24.....	246		a 12	272	10	7	213	7	4	
25.....	262			259	10	a 7	210	8	a 5	
26.....	275			268	9	a 7	275	10	7	
27.....	268	16	12	272	9	7	297	11	a 9	
28.....	268			268	9	a 7	317	12	10	
29.....	272		17	a 12	297	9	a 7	304	11	a 9
30.....	259			313	9	a 8	307	10	a 8	
31.....	259			297	9	7	--	--	--	
Total.	8,072	--	349	8,442	--	301	7,864	--	193	

Total discharge for period (cfs-days) ..... 125,650

Total load for period (tons) ..... 142,803

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Computed from estimated or interpolated concentration.

b Computed from partly estimated concentration graph.

## EAST FORK RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR UKLAH, CALIF. --Continued

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, December 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdrawal tube; D, decantation; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, mechanically dispersed; V, visual accumulation tube)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water temperature (°F)	Concentration of sample (ppm)	Concentration of suspension analyzed (ppm)						Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters						Methods of analysis
					0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.350	0.500	1.000		
Dec. 11, 1952	10:30 a.m.	820	--	210	--	--	--	--	--	--	77	86	94	100	--	S	
Dec. 12	9:30 a.m.	541	50	122	--	--	--	--	--	--	81	89	97	100	100	SPWCM	
Jan. 6, 1953	1:40 p.m.	1,590	49	619	3,040	29	44	62	78	91	99	100	100	100	100	VBWCM	
Jan. 9	1:25 p.m.	3,670	48	1,560	2,380	20	34	60	74	90	97	97	97	97	97	SPWCM	
Jan. 14	1:00 p.m.	2,280	50	801	4,050	30	45	65	78	91	98	99	99	99	99	SPWCM	
Jan. 19	3:35 p.m.	1,780	54	740	2,740	23	32	50	63	80	98	100	100	100	100	SPWCM	
Jan. 20	11:30 a.m.	3,220	52	1,800	3,680	19	32	50	64	80	95	95	95	95	95	SPWCM	
Mar. 11	5:30 p.m.	310	49	28	--	--	--	--	--	--	81	88	94	100	--	S	
Mar. 21	3:45 p.m.	820	49	180	--	--	--	--	--	--	78	88	97	100	--	V	
Apr. 30	3:00 p.m.	446	57	41	--	--	--	--	--	--	84	93	98	100	--	S	
May 21	5:30 p.m.	362	59	82	--	--	--	--	--	--	98	99	99	100	--	S	
June 7	7:00 p.m.	337	60	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	88	95	100	--	--	S	
July 7	5:20 p.m.	246	64	13	--	--	--	--	--	--	86	95	100	--	--	S	

## RUSSIAN RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN RUSSIAN RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Carbonate ( $\text{CO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Calcium, Non-magnesium	Sodium adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH
Oct. 6, 1952 .....	272	7.6	0.00	21	4.9	5.8	0.4	91	6.1	3.0	0.1	0.2	0.28	94	0.13	73	0	15	164	7.6		
Jan. 12, 1953 .....	1,480	--	--	15	2.8	1.0	1.0	108	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	87	0	6	177	7.2	
Feb. 13 .....	365	--	--	13	4.2	4.5	.9	62	--	2.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	16	113	7.6	
Mar. 9 .....	337	--	--	17	5.8	--	--	73	--	2.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	61	0	17	135	7.6	
Apr. 6 .....	357	--	--	15	5.1	4.5	--	71	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	58	0	14	131	7.6	
May 4 .....	367	10	--	15	4.5	4.1	.7	68	7.0	.1	.5	.06	.78	.11	.11	.56	0	14	126	7.6		
Aug. 5 .....	235	--	--	19	4.5	4.1	.6	77	2.5	.0	.2	.08	--	--	--	--	66	3	12	142	7.6	
Sept. 14 .....	259	9.5	.01	19	5.8	5.8	1.0	90	7.1	3.0	.0	.2	.39	.95	.13	.13	71	0	15	165	7.2	

## EAST FORK RUSSIAN RIVER AT POTTER VALLEY (SEC. 6, T. 17 N., R. 11 W.)

Oct. 6, 1952 .....	21	6.4	7.1	0.9	98	6.4	4.2	0.0	0.4	0.31	104	0.14	79	0	16	177	7.3				
Jan. 12, 1953 .....	28	6.2	1.1	1.4	116	--	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	95	0	14	212	7.4	
Feb. 13 .....	43	11	1.1	1.0	184	--	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	133	2	13	327	7.4	
Mar. 9 .....	9.6	--	--	8.2	--	90	--	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	73	0	20	167	7.5	
Apr. 6 .....	21	8.0	7.4	--	104	--	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	65	0	16	193	7.6	
May 4 .....	14	.0	27	8.1	8.2	1.0	--	122	12	4.5	.2	.6	.15	.36	.18	101	1	15	224	8.0	
Aug. 3 .....	--	19	6.2	5.6	87	--	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	73	0	14	157	7.5	
Sept. 14 .....	8.8	.01	19	7.0	6.5	1.0	95	7.3	3.5	.1	.6	.33	101	.14	.14	76	0	15	173	7.6	

## RUSSIAN RIVER AT UKIAH (SEC. 28, T. 15, N., R. 12 W.)

Oct. 6, 1952 .....	21	6.4	7.1	0.9	98	6.4	4.2	0.0	0.4	0.31	104	0.14	79	0	16	177	7.3				
Jan. 12, 1953 .....	28	6.2	1.1	1.4	116	--	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	95	0	14	212	7.4	
Feb. 13 .....	43	11	1.1	1.0	184	--	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	133	2	13	327	7.4	
Mar. 9 .....	9.6	--	--	8.2	--	90	--	--	5.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	73	0	20	167	7.5	
Apr. 6 .....	21	8.0	7.4	--	104	--	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	65	0	16	193	7.6	
May 4 .....	14	.0	27	8.1	8.2	1.0	--	122	12	4.5	.2	.6	.15	.36	.18	101	1	15	224	8.0	
Aug. 3 .....	--	19	6.2	5.6	87	--	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	73	0	14	157	7.5	
Sept. 14 .....	8.8	.01	19	7.0	6.5	1.0	95	7.3	3.5	.1	.6	.33	101	.14	.14	76	0	15	173	7.6	

## RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR HOPLAND (SEC. 36, T. 14 N., R. 12 W.)

Oct. 6, 1952 .....	11	14	8.0	1.0	105	7.0	4.1	0.0	1.0	0.33	108	0.15	85	0	17	186	7.7				
Jan. 12, 1953 .....	183	--	0.00	11	6.4	6.7	1.2	72	--	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	59	0	19	143	7.3	
Feb. 13 .....	2,770	--	--	13	11	.9	--	128	--	6.5	--	--	--	--	--	107	2	18	244	7.6	
Mar. 9 .....	550	--	--	23	12	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	81	1	18	179	7.5	
Apr. 6 .....	425	--	--	21	7.0	8.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	81	0	17	188	7.7	
May 4 .....	558	--	--	19	8.1	7.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	115	1	17	184	7.6	
Aug. 3 .....	604	14	.0	18	8.3	7.8	1.1	97	11	--	4.5	--	1.8	--	--	79	0	15	173	7.8	
Sept. 14 .....	283	--	--	19	7.1	6.1	.8	94	--	4.8	--	--	.2	.08	--	77	0	15	173	7.8	
Oct. 6, 1952 .....	233	11	.01	19	8.3	6.7	.8	100	8.3	4.0	0	1.2	.40	.108	.15	82	0	15	201	7.5	

RUSSIAN RIVER NEAR HEALDSBURG (SEC. 22, T. 9 N., R. 9 W.)

Oct. 6, 1952 .....	170	9.8	0.00	26	11	1.1	143	5.8	0.0	0.8	0.86	146	0.20	110	0	20	252	7.9			
Jan. 12, 1953 .....	7,010	--	--	16	9.7	7.4	1.2	.97	--	4.2	--	--	--	--	80	0	17	183	7.9		
Feb. 9 .....	912	--	--	27	14	9.2	1.0	1.0	--	6.0	--	--	--	--	125	2	14	273	7.8		
Mar. 9 .....	624	--	--	24	13	8.2	--	--	132	--	4.5	--	--	--	113	5	14	238	8.2		
Apr. 6 .....	870	--	--	24	12	8.0	--	--	132	--	4.5	--	--	--	109	1	14	243	8.0		
May 4 .....	16	--	--	0	23	12	8.7	1.1	126	12	5.5	.2	1.8	.34	142	.19	4	15	235	7.8	
Aug. 3 .....	a 986	.0	.0	25	12	9.2	1.1	132	--	6.2	--	--	.58	--	112	4	15	242	7.4		
Sept. 14 .....	273	--	.02	23	12	9.2	.0	.0	133	9.6	5.0	.0	.4	.93	140	.19	107	0	16	236	7.8

RUSSIAN RIVER AT GUERNEVILLE (SEC. 32, T. 8 N., R. 10 W.)

Oct. 6, 1952 .....	179	16	0.00	26	14	1.2	150	9.9	7.5	0.0	0.3	0.70	160	0.22	122	0	16	267	6.7	
Jan. 12, 1953 .....	11,190	--	--	15	8.9	7.4	1.6	.88	--	5.2	--	--	--	--	74	0	17	171	7.4	
Feb. 9 .....	a 210	--	--	26	14	11	1.2	147	--	9.5	--	--	--	--	122	2	16	277	7.7	
Mar. 9 .....	a 760	--	--	25	13	10	--	140	--	6.0	--	--	--	--	116	1	16	262	7.9	
Apr. 6 .....	a 1,220	--	--	25	12	15	--	135	--	6.5	--	--	--	--	112	1	16	251	7.7	
May 4 .....	1,570	17	.1	22	13	9.6	1.4	125	.13	7.2	.2	1.4	.24	146	.20	6	16	237	7.8	
Aug. 3 .....	262	--	--	26	13	9.4	1.2	144	--	6.5	--	--	.44	--	118	0	15	259	7.3	
Sept. 14 .....	246	14	.01	24	13	10	1.2	140	9.8	6.0	.1	.6	.83	148	.20	113	0	16	252	7.8

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN CALIFORNIA

## EEL RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES ON STREAMS IN EEL RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sub-carbonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)	Parts per mil-	Tons per acre-	Tons per mil-	Parts per mil-	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Per-	So-	Specific		
EEL RIVER NEAR McCANN (SEC. 3, T. 2 S., R. 3 E.)																								
SOUTH FORK EEL RIVER NEAR MIRANDA (SEC. 30, T. 3 S., R. 4 E.)																								
Oct. 7, 1952.....	8.0	0.00	35	8.8	10	1.2	134	21	6.3	0.0	0.5	0.15	157	0.21	124	14	15	270	7.9	134	7.8	243	8.1	
Feb. 10, 1953.....	--	--	16	4.8	4.1	.9	70	--	2.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	2	13	180	8.0	15	149	7.6	
Mar. 10.....	--	--	23	6.0	5.0	--	93	--	3.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	82	6	12	15	139	7.7	240	7.9	
Apr. 10.....	--	--	18	5.3	5.4	--	80	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	67	1	15	111	8	11	264	7.9	
May 7.....	11	.0	17	4.9	5.0	.8	74	8.4	3.5	1	.3	.03	.88	.12	.12	63	2	15	111	8	11	264	7.9	
Aug. 4.....	--	--	31	8.2	6.1	1.1	126	--	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	111	14	13	111	8	11	264	7.9	
Sept. 15.....	--	9.2	.01	33	9.4	8.5	1.3	131	20	6.5	.1	.3	.18	.153	.21	121	14	13	111	8	11	264	7.9	
Oct. 7, 1952.....	50	4.9	0.00	26	10	11	1.2	134	7.0	7.6	0.1	0.4	0.17	134	0.18	106	0	18	0	23	0	98.2	7.2	
Jan. 13, 1953.....	13,500	--	--	8.3	3.5	5.0	.9	47	--	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	35	0	20	132	7.9	0	154	7.8	
Feb. 10.....	--	--	13	5.6	6.5	.7	70	--	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	64	0	18	60	0	0	21	7.4	
Mar. 10.....	1,400	--	--	16	5.8	6.5	--	79	--	5.2	--	--	--	--	--	64	0	18	129	7.5	0	19	7.5	
Apr. 7.....	804	--	--	15	5.5	7.4	--	74	--	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	60	0	21	54	0	0	18	7.4	
May 5.....	883	--	--	0	13	5.2	6.1	.8	69	5.9	5.0	.1	.3	.03	.85	.12	.12	86	0	18	197	7.4		
Aug. 4.....	1,230	15	--	21	8.2	8.7	.8	107	--	6.5	--	--	--	--	--	121	.16	.16	94	0	0	215	7.7	
Sept. 15.....	156	--	7.3	.02	22	9.4	9.6	1.2	116	6.8	6.5	.1	.6	.18	.18	94	0	18	94	0	0	215	7.7	
Oct. 7, 1952.....	95	10	0.00	30	21	12	2.4	197	15	9.0	0.0	0.5	0.11	197	0.27	161	0	14	0	14	0	105	7.9	
Jan. 13, 1953.....	73,400	--	--	13	3.4	4.8	1.4	57	--	2.8	--	--	--	--	--	46	0	14	66	2	14	148	7.7	
Feb. 10.....	--	--	16	5.2	5.0	.8	78	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	80	3	16	80	3	16	186	7.6	
Mar. 10.....	3,160	--	--	21	6.8	6.9	--	94	--	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	73	2	15	73	2	15	162	7.5	
Apr. 10.....	5,000	--	--	19	6.2	5.8	--	87	--	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	74	1	14	51	1	14	113	7.4	
Apr. 28.....	32,300	11	--	15	3.2	4.0	1.7	61	5.1	2.5	.5	.7	.06	.74	.10	10	65	3	15	142	7.6	0	241	7.8
May 7.....	8,170	12	--	0	17	5.5	4.0	7	8.1	3.0	.0	.2	.02	.89	.12	.12	110	3	13	110	3	13	270	7.6
Aug. 4.....	396	--	33	8.5	7.8	1.0	130	--	6.2	.0	--	--	--	--	--	155	.21	.21	123	4	14	270	7.6	
Sept. 15.....	260	10	.01	9.9	9.2	1.5	145	13	6.5	.1	.7	.1	.7	.1	.16	94	0	18	94	0	0	270	7.6	
Oct. 7, 1952.....	95	10	0.00	30	21	12	2.4	197	15	9.0	0.0	0.5	0.11	197	0.27	161	0	14	0	14	0	105	7.9	
Jan. 13, 1953.....	6,170	--	--	16	5.2	5.0	.8	78	--	3.0	--	--	--	--	--	46	0	14	66	2	14	148	7.7	
Feb. 10.....	--	--	19	6.2	5.8	--	87	--	5.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	80	3	16	80	3	16	186	7.6	
Mar. 10.....	5,000	--	--	19	6.2	5.8	--	87	--	3.5	--	--	--	--	--	73	2	15	73	2	15	162	7.5	
Apr. 10.....	5,000	--	--	15	3.2	4.0	1.7	61	5.1	2.5	.5	.7	.06	.74	.10	10	65	3	15	51	1	14	113	7.4
Apr. 28.....	32,300	11	--	0	17	5.5	4.0	7	8.1	3.0	.0	.2	.02	.89	.12	.12	110	3	13	110	3	13	241	7.8
May 7.....	8,170	12	--	30	8.5	7.8	1.0	130	--	6.2	.0	--	--	--	--	155	.21	.21	123	4	14	270	7.6	
Aug. 4.....	396	--	33	9.9	9.2	1.5	145	13	6.5	.1	.7	.1	.7	.1	.16	94	0	18	94	0	0	270	7.6	
Sept. 15.....	260	10	.01	9.9	9.2	1.5	145	13	6.5	.1	.7	.1	.7	.1	.16	94	0	18	94	0	0	270	7.6	

## KLAMATH RIVER BASIN

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station at highway bridge at Lewiston, Trinity County, 0.8 mile downstream from Deadwood Creek.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—724 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: September 1951 to September 1953.

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REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1953.

## TRINITY RIVER AT LEWISTON, CALIF.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station at highway bridge at Lewiston, Trinity County, 0.8 mile downstream from Deadwood Creek.

DRAINEAGE AREA.—724 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: September 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 74°F Aug. 12-14; minimum, 38°F Dec. 6-8, Mar. 2.

EXTREMES, 1951-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 74°F Aug. 12-14, September 1953; minimum, 33°F Jan. 10-26, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1953.

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																																		
	October			November			December			January			February			March			April			May			June			July			August			September	
	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	min	max	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min		
1.....	67	64	55	52	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	40	39	44	43	45	42	43	47	48	47	58	54	70	66	69	66	64					
2.....	67	63	54	51	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	41	39	46	44	47	43	50	47	59	56	70	66	69	64	71	66	66					
3.....	66	62	54	51	42	42	43	43	43	42	42	42	42	41	39	46	45	49	45	51	48	57	60	56	67	64	71	67	67	67					
4.....	66	62	53	50	42	42	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	42	41	47	45	50	46	51	48	60	58	70	65	71	68	71	67	67					
5.....	66	62	53	51	42	42	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	42	41	47	45	50	45	51	48	60	58	70	66	72	67	71	67	67					
6.....	65	62	54	51	42	42	43	42	42	43	42	42	42	41	43	44	41	46	44	48	48	50	48	60	59	71	66	72	67	67					
7.....	65	62	54	51	38	38	42	42	42	43	42	42	42	41	43	44	41	46	44	48	48	50	48	60	59	71	66	72	67	67					
8.....	64	61	53	50	40	39	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	41	44	42	40	46	43	48	46	51	50	48	51	61	58	71	66	72	66				
9.....	64	61	53	50	41	40	42	40	41	40	41	40	41	41	44	42	40	46	43	48	46	50	48	51	50	59	72	67	70	65	65				
10.....	64	61	53	50	40	40	42	40	41	40	41	40	41	40	44	44	40	47	44	40	47	44	50	46	62	60	68	71	65	65					
11.....	64	61	54	52	42	40	42	42	41	40	44	42	42	41	44	42	42	42	49	45	51	49	62	60	73	68	69	69	66						
12.....	63	60	54	52	43	42	42	42	42	41	43	42	42	41	43	41	44	44	49	46	51	48	63	61	74	69	71	71	65						
13.....	63	60	52	49	43	43	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	41	43	42	42	43	41	46	46	50	48	63	61	74	71	71	67						
14.....	63	60	49	47	43	43	43	43	43	42	42	42	42	41	43	42	42	43	41	46	44	48	47	53	49	50	64	62	74	70					
15.....	63	60	48	46	43	42	43	43	43	42	42	42	42	41	44	42	41	45	49	45	54	50	50	45	54	50	62	73	70	67					
16.....	63	60	48	47	42	42	43	42	42	41	44	44	44	41	44	42	41	46	44	50	47	53	48	66	64	73	70	70	67						
17.....	61	59	48	47	42	42	43	43	42	42	42	42	42	41	41	42	41	41	46	43	50	46	54	54	66	64	72	69	69						
18.....	60	59	48	47	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	41	42	42	41	42	39	47	45	50	46	54	54	65	65	72	68						
19.....	62	60	48	47	42	42	42	42	42	41	42	42	42	41	40	40	40	40	39	36	47	48	45	54	54	68	65	72	68	64					
20.....	61	60	48	47	41	40	42	42	41	40	41	40	41	40	36	36	36	36	49	46	47	43	53	53	53	49	68	65	72	65					
21.....	60	59	48	46	41	40	42	42	41	40	41	40	41	41	41	40	41	40	36	50	46	46	43	54	50	65	65	72	67	66					
22.....	59	58	46	45	42	41	42	42	41	41	42	42	42	41	41	42	41	41	43	42	49	44	54	54	66	64	72	67	67	63					
23.....	59	58	45	44	42	42	42	42	42	41	41	42	42	40	39	43	42	42	48	43	45	44	54	54	65	64	72	67	67	63					
24.....	60	58	44	43	42	41	42	42	41	41	42	42	41	40	40	44	42	42	44	48	43	45	44	54	54	68	64	70	66	62					
25.....	59	57	43	43	41	40	42	42	41	40	42	42	41	40	40	44	42	42	44	48	44	45	43	54	54	68	64	72	66	62					
26.....	58	57	43	42	40	40	42	41	40	41	41	40	41	40	40	44	42	41	44	48	44	45	45	55	52	68	64	72	66	61					
27.....	58	57	42	41	40	40	41	40	41	40	41	40	41	41	41	44	42	41	44	44	55	52	69	66	72	67	67	63	61						
28.....	58	57	42	41	40	40	41	41	40	41	41	40	41	41	41	44	43	42	44	44	52	49	55	52	69	65	72	66	62	60					
29.....	58	57	42	41	40	40	41	41	40	41	41	40	41	41	41	44	43	42	44	44	52	49	55	52	69	65	72	66	62	60					
30.....	57	56	42	41	40	40	41	41	40	41	41	40	41	41	41	44	43	42	44	44	52	48	56	53	70	66	72	67	62	60					
31.....	57	55	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--						
Average.....	62	60	49	47	42	41	42	42	41	41	43	41	41	46	43	48	45	52	49	55	52	69	65	72	67	62	60	66	65						

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KLAMATH RIVER BASIN--Continued  
MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN KLAMATH RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (Na)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)		Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH			
												Sodium adsorption ratio									
Oct. 10, 1952	... 3,020	37	0.00	11	4.6	14	2.4	71	9.1	4.3	0.2	4.5	0.07	122	0.17	46	0	38	156	7.4	
Jan. 13, 1953	... 42,020	--	10	6.0	17	2.5	75	--	5.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	41	180	7.2	
Feb. 4.	... 4,240	--	13	6.9	14	2.4	77	--	4.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	61	0	41	206	7.2	
Mar. 3	... 45,000	--	11	7.1	15	--	66	--	3.8	--	--	.06	--	--	--	51	0	39	165	7.1	
Apr. 3	... 3,400	--	14	7.1	17	--	77	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	64	0	37	209	7.7	
May 5	... 43,440	19	.1	13	7.7	22	3.1	80	33	5.0	.2	1.8	.01	144	.20	64	0	41	217	7.3	
July 31	... 42,010	--	12	8.9	10	4.5	10	2.0	59	17	4.5	.2	5.0	.11	139	.19	41	0	33	126	7.0
Sept. 3	... 42,870	33	.63	12	6.3	18	3.0	82	17	4.5	.2	5.0	.11	139	.19	56	0	40	193	7.4	

## KLAMATH RIVER NEAR COPCO (SEC. 36, T. 48 N., R. 5 W.)

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (Na)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)		Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH		
												Sodium adsorption ratio								
Oct. 10, 1952	... 3,720	34	0.00	13	6.7	14	2.3	88	10	4.8	0.2	2.1	0.06	130	0.18	60	0	33	181	7.6
Jan. 14, 1953	... 38,000	--	11	6.3	7.4	1.1	64	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	15	115	7.4
Feb. 11	... 21,500	--	12	6.8	8.2	--	72	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	56	0	22	141	7.5
Mar. 3	... 10,800	--	13	6.8	7.4	--	78	--	3.2	--	--	.01	--	--	--	60	0	23	151	7.7
Apr. 8	... 12,100	--	13	6.8	7.4	--	74	--	3.2	--	--	.03	--	--	--	60	0	21	147	8.0
May 6	... 18,300	13	.0	11	5.9	5.6	--	65	8.1	.1	.0	.7	.03	.79	.11	52	0	19	124	7.6
Aug. 5	... 4,390	34	.01	14	6.2	7.8	1.4	81	--	3.5	--	.00	--	--	--	60	0	21	148	7.5
Sept. 16	... 4,390	34	.01	15	6.6	16	2.3	100	16	5.5	.1	2.4	.11	149	.20	73	0	31	214	7.9

## KLAMATH RIVER AT SOMESBAR (SEC. 4, T. 11 N., R. 6 E.)

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (Na)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)		Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH		
												Sodium adsorption ratio								
Oct. 8, 1952	... 3,720	34	0.00	13	6.7	14	2.3	88	10	4.8	0.2	2.1	0.06	130	0.18	60	0	33	181	7.6
Jan. 14, 1953	... 38,000	--	11	6.3	7.4	1.1	64	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	0	15	115	7.4
Feb. 11	... 21,500	--	12	6.8	8.2	--	72	--	2.2	--	--	.01	--	--	--	56	0	22	141	7.5
Mar. 3	... 10,800	--	13	6.8	7.4	--	74	--	2.0	--	--	.03	--	--	--	60	0	23	151	7.7
Apr. 8	... 12,100	--	13	6.8	7.4	--	74	--	2.0	--	--	.03	--	--	--	60	0	21	147	8.0
May 6	... 18,300	13	.0	11	5.9	5.6	--	65	8.1	.1	.0	.7	.03	.79	.11	52	0	19	124	7.6
Aug. 5	... 4,390	34	.01	14	6.2	7.8	1.4	81	--	3.5	--	.00	--	--	--	60	0	21	148	7.5
Sept. 16	... 4,390	34	.01	15	6.6	16	2.3	100	16	5.5	.1	2.4	.11	149	.20	73	0	31	214	7.9

## TRINITY RIVER AT LEWISTON (SEC. 19, T. 33 N., R. 8 W.)

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (Na)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)		Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH		
												Sodium adsorption ratio								
Oct. 15, 1952	153	15	0.00	9.4	11	6.9	0.7	83	4.7	5.7	0.0	0.3	0.05	95	0.13	69	1	18	154	7.9
Feb. 11, 1953	2,910	--	5.3	8.5	2.4	.3	54	--	8	--	--	--	--	--	--	48	4	10	93.4	7.5
Mar. 14	2,220	--	5.0	8.1	4.1	--	60	--	2.0	--	.04	--	--	--	--	46	0	16	87.3	7.5
May 12	3,520	14	.0	6.7	1.6	.3	49	2.3	1.5	.0	.2	.08	.06	56	0	40	0	8	78.3	7.4
Aug. 30	6,666	--	6.5	8.2	3.1	.4	65	--	3.5	--	.04	--	--	--	--	54	1	11	117	7.3
Sept. 16	238	15	.01	9.0	9.9	4.1	.5	76	3.1	4.5	.0	.2	.06	84	.11	63	1	12	147	7.3

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## TRINITY RIVER NEAR HOOPA (SEC. 31, T. 8 N., R. 5 E.)

Oct. 7, 1952 . . . . .	481	14	0.00	23	9.6	6.9	0.7	11.1	7.7	7.2	0.0	0.8	0.05	125	0.17	97	6	13	212	7.9
Jan. 13, 1953 . . . . .	44,400	--	--	11	4.9	2.4	.6	5.6	--	1.2	--	--	--	--	--	48	0	10	99.6	7.6
Feb. 11 . . . . .	12,300	--	--	15	5.4	3.1	.5	7.3	--	2.2	--	--	--	--	--	60	0	10	124	7.4
Mar. 11 . . . . .	7,220	--	--	13	6.9	2.4	--	7.4	--	3.0	--	--	.03	--	--	61	0	8	130	7.7
Apr. 8 . . . . .	9,250	--	--	13	6.9	3.1	--	7.2	--	1.5	--	--	.04	--	--	61	2	10	123	7.5
May 5 . . . . .	11,600	14	.0	13	5.2	2.2	.4	6.6	4.4	2.5	.1	.2	.00	.74	.10	54	0	8	112	7.7
Aug. 4 . . . . .	1,670	--	--	17	7.2	3.2	.8	82	--	3.0	--	.2	.04	.115	.16	72	5	9	153	7.3
Sept. 16 . . . . .	778	14	.00	20	9.7	4.8	.6	105	8.1	5.5	.0	.2	.04	.115	.16	90	4	10	197	7.9

## KLAMATH RIVER NEAR KLAMATH (SEC. 17, T. 13 N., R. 2 E.)

Oct. 8, 1952 . . . . .	4,750	28	0.00	17	6.2	12	1.7	92	8.8	4.8	0.1	1.4	0.07	125	0.17	68	0	27	181	7.9
Jan. 14, 1953 . . . . .	107,000	--	--	10	4.6	3.1	.6	56	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	44	0	13	99.0	7.5
Feb. 12 . . . . .	39,000	--	--	13	5.9	5.8	.7	69	--	2.5	--	--	--	--	--	57	0	18	132	7.3
Mar. 12 . . . . .	23,800	--	--	14	5.8	6.1	--	72	--	3.8	--	--	.21	--	--	59	0	18	132	7.9
Apr. 9 . . . . .	24,400	--	--	13	6.5	5.4	--	72	--	4.2	--	--	.03	--	--	59	0	17	133	7.5
May 6 . . . . .	35,100	13	.0	10	5.5	4.1	.8	60	6.0	1.5	.0	.5	.02	.71	.10	48	0	15	110	7.4
Aug. 5 . . . . .	6,420	--	--	15	5.4	5.4	1.0	75	--	3.5	--	--	.05	--	--	60	0	16	138	8.0
Sept. 16 . . . . .	5,140	23	.01	16	8.3	12	1.6	96	13	4.0	.0	1.4	.14	.127	.17	74	0	26	198	7.6

## SMITH RIVER BASIN

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SMITH RIVER BASIN IN CALIFORNIA

Chemical analyses, in parts per million water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- ci- um (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- si- um (K)	Sodium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCOC <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (sum)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Cal- cium, mag- nesium per acre- foot	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per day	Per- cent so- dium adsorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or or pH
														Parts per mil- lion	Parts per mil- lion	Tons per day							
Oct. 9, 1952	234	12	0.00	8.0	12	4.1	0.4	81	3.6	3.1	0.0	1.5	0.03	85	0.12	69	3	11	141	7.8			
Jan. 15, 1953	a 14,900	--	4.1	5.8	2.0	.3	.4	40	--	3.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	34	1	11	79.0	7.2		
Feb. 12	4,980	--	4.3	6.3	2.0	.1	.46	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	0	11	87.2	7.4		
Mar. 12	6,580	--	3.7	7.2	3.8	--	.48	--	3.5	--	--	--	.14	--	--	--	39	0	18	80.9	7.6		
Apr. 9	2,600	--	4.4	7.3	2.0	--	.50	--	2.5	--	--	--	.01	--	--	--	41	0	10	84.1	7.4		
May 7	4,980	13	.0	4.2	6.2	1.7	.1	43	1.9	2.5	.0	.2	.00	.51	.07	.36	1	9	75.3	7.3			
Aug. 6	520	--	7.5	9.8	2.4	.2	.67	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	59	4	8	118	7.5		
Sept. 17	330	13	.00	7.4	11	2.8	.2	76	3.7	3.5	.0	.3	.06	.79	.11	.64	1	9	136	7.9			

a Mean daily discharge (cfs).

## SMITH RIVER NEAR CRESTON CITY (SEC. 10, T. 16 N., R. 1 E.)

Oct.	9, 1952	12	0.00	8.0	12	4.1	0.4	81	3.6	3.1	0.0	1.5	0.03	85	0.12	69	3	11	141	7.8		
Oct. 9, 1952	234	12	0.00	8.0	12	4.1	0.4	81	3.6	3.1	0.0	1.5	0.03	85	0.12	69	3	11	141	7.8		
Jan. 15, 1953	a 14,900	--	4.1	5.8	2.0	.3	.4	40	--	3.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	34	1	11	79.0	7.2	
Feb. 12	4,980	--	4.3	6.3	2.0	.1	.46	--	2.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	0	11	87.2	7.4	
Mar. 12	6,580	--	3.7	7.2	3.8	--	.48	--	3.5	--	--	--	.14	--	--	--	39	0	18	80.9	7.6	
Apr. 9	2,600	--	4.4	7.3	2.0	--	.50	--	2.5	--	--	--	.01	--	--	--	41	0	10	84.1	7.4	
May 7	4,980	13	.0	4.2	6.2	1.7	.1	43	1.9	2.5	.0	.2	.00	.51	.07	.36	1	9	75.3	7.3		
Aug. 6	520	--	7.5	9.8	2.4	.2	.67	--	3.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	59	4	8	118	7.5	
Sept. 17	330	13	.00	7.4	11	2.8	.2	76	3.7	3.5	.0	.3	.06	.79	.11	.64	1	9	136	7.9		

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS NORTH OF COLUMBIA RIVER

## WILLAPA RIVER BASIN

## WILLAPA RIVER AT LEBAN, WASH.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station half a mile west of Leban, Pacific County, and 1 mile upstream from Walker Creek.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—41.4 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: March 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 65°F July 10-13; minimum, 34°F Nov. 28-30, Dec. 1, 1952.

EXTRREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 67°F July 9-11, 15; Aug. 4, 5, 1952; minimum, 34°F Nov. 28-30, Dec. 1, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

## WILLAPA RIVER BASIN

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Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																									
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	56	57	50	47	38	34	44	44	47	47	44	42	48	44	49	43	52	48	54	57	61	59	61	61	61	
2.....	58	58	48	46	43	40	45	44	45	47	46	44	49	46	49	46	50	53	52	58	61	60	62	61	61	
3.....	58	58	48	46	43	40	45	45	45	47	46	44	49	46	49	46	52	53	51	59	58	61	60	62	60	
4.....	58	57	49	46	45	43	45	44	45	47	46	44	49	46	49	47	50	53	51	60	58	61	60	62	60	
5.....	57	56	50	49	45	45	44	42	42	47	48	46	47	45	46	40	55	53	50	63	60	62	61	63	62	
6.....	56	55	50	49	45	44	45	44	43	47	47	51	47	47	44	46	56	53	51	64	62	62	63	63	63	
7.....	57	56	49	47	45	45	44	43	47	47	46	45	47	47	46	45	46	55	51	54	52	64	64	62	62	
8.....	57	57	47	46	45	45	44	44	46	45	45	41	48	46	47	45	53	50	57	53	64	64	62	61	61	
9.....	57	57	46	45	45	45	44	44	46	45	45	44	49	47	48	44	52	50	56	55	65	64	63	61	60	
10.....	57	56	47	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	49	47	48	44	52	50	56	55	65	65	64	63	61	
11.....	56	56	49	47	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	49	48	48	46	55	49	59	55	65	65	64	61	61	
12.....	56	56	49	48	47	46	46	46	45	45	45	45	48	46	47	45	58	51	59	55	65	65	64	62	60	
13.....	56	55	49	48	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	45	49	45	47	45	56	54	54	65	64	63	61	60	59	
14.....	55	53	48	47	46	44	44	46	45	45	45	45	48	43	48	45	54	52	56	55	64	63	62	59	59	
15.....	53	51	47	44	44	43	43	43	46	46	45	44	47	45	49	45	52	51	58	57	63	61	63	63	59	
16.....	51	51	45	43	44	43	43	43	46	46	45	44	47	46	49	47	52	51	60	56	63	61	62	59	58	
17.....	51	51	44	43	43	43	44	44	44	44	44	42	46	45	48	47	53	50	56	54	64	62	62	61	58	
18.....	52	51	45	43	43	43	44	44	44	44	44	42	47	46	45	48	47	51	47	54	53	62	62	61	57	
19.....	53	52	45	43	43	43	42	42	46	46	45	44	49	44	49	47	53	50	54	56	62	59	64	63	57	
20.....	54	53	44	43	43	43	42	42	46	46	45	44	49	45	48	45	53	51	55	55	62	59	64	64	57	
21.....	55	54	43	42	43	42	42	42	46	46	45	44	49	44	49	46	55	53	51	55	64	62	62	61	57	
22.....	55	55	42	41	41	41	42	42	46	46	45	44	49	42	45	41	53	51	50	55	61	61	62	60	57	
23.....	55	55	41	39	43	42	42	42	39	46	46	44	42	42	41	49	53	51	51	49	61	59	61	58	57	
24.....	55	55	39	39	42	39	42	39	46	46	44	42	42	41	49	55	48	50	50	55	60	59	59	57	55	
25.....	55	53	39	38	40	39	46	46	45	45	45	44	42	49	47	55	53	54	49	57	55	60	59	59	54	
26.....	53	51	38	37	41	40	46	46	45	45	45	43	51	47	55	53	56	50	57	56	60	57	59	54	53	
27.....	51	50	37	36	41	40	46	46	45	45	45	43	50	48	55	52	56	55	59	57	59	59	59	54	53	
28.....	50	50	36	34	42	41	46	46	44	44	44	42	48	47	53	49	54	52	56	60	58	59	59	54	54	
29.....	51	50	34	34	44	44	46	46	44	44	44	42	49	47	52	49	53	48	54	56	61	59	58	54	54	
30.....	52	51	34	34	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	42	47	47	46	44	47	45	48	51	58	61	60	59	54	
31.....	52	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Average.....	55	54	44	43	44	42	46	45	45	46	45	44	47	46	48	45	46	50	47	54	51	56	54	52	58	



## NISQUALLY RIVER BASIN

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station 100 feet downstream from railroad bridge, 1 mile west of National, Pierce County, 2½ miles west of Ashford, and 3 miles upstream from Mineral Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA, 1,133 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: October 1951 to July 1952; November 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum 58°F July 6, 11, 30, Aug. 2, 3, 11-14, Sept. 5; minimum, 33°F Nov. 29, 30. Extremes, 1951-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 61°F July 9, 1952; minimum, freezing point on Jan. 2-9, 12-23, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1226.

Temperature (°F) of water, November 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, November 1952 to September 1953																								
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	
1.....	35	35	35	35	37	37	40	40	39	39	36	45	39	46	42	48	46	46	47	57	53	53	52	52	
2.....	--	--	38	38	38	38	41	40	40	40	39	45	38	49	42	50	46	46	46	49	58	54	54	51	
3.....	--	--	39	38	38	38	40	39	40	39	37	45	41	53	44	51	46	53	50	58	53	57	57	47	
4.....	--	--	39	38	38	38	41	39	42	39	43	40	54	51	45	56	49	55	51	57	51	57	57	47	
5.....	--	--	39	38	38	38	41	41	41	41	41	45	44	49	44	49	57	49	57	52	58	48	48	48	
6.....	--	--	39	37	37	38	38	41	41	41	39	42	39	48	44	48	46	53	57	57	53	52	48	48	
7.....	--	--	39	37	37	38	38	41	40	44	38	41	39	47	44	47	46	57	50	56	53	52	48	48	
8.....	--	--	37	35	35	38	38	40	39	45	38	42	39	45	43	43	51	44	57	52	56	53	53	49	
9.....	--	--	37	35	35	38	38	43	38	43	38	46	40	46	42	51	44	57	49	56	54	55	46	46	
10.....	--	--	37	36	36	39	38	40	38	42	41	44	38	45	43	53	45	57	50	57	52	56	54	54	
11.....	--	--	37	36	36	40	39	41	39	41	40	41	39	53	42	52	46	58	50	58	53	54	47	47	
12.....	--	--	37	37	37	40	39	41	39	42	39	41	39	54	43	48	46	57	50	58	53	52	49	49	
13.....	--	--	37	37	37	40	39	41	39	42	38	41	39	52	44	47	45	55	51	58	52	52	47	47	
14.....	--	--	37	37	37	40	40	41	39	40	36	44	39	48	46	51	52	51	58	53	52	52	48	48	
15.....	--	--	37	37	37	40	40	40	39	38	40	39	48	39	46	50	48	52	50	57	53	51	51	50	
16.....	--	--	38	37	37	40	40	38	38	40	38	40	38	45	42	47	45	55	46	57	48	56	53	51	50
17.....	--	--	38	38	38	40	40	39	38	41	37	48	41	47	45	50	47	56	52	48	54	52	50	49	
18.....	--	--	38	38	38	40	40	39	37	39	38	50	41	47	45	50	47	56	52	56	52	50	49	49	
19.....	--	--	38	38	38	40	40	39	36	44	38	49	45	46	44	47	47	56	53	56	53	51	50	49	
20.....	--	--	38	38	38	40	40	39	37	41	39	49	42	50	43	47	47	53	52	56	54	51	49	49	
21.....	--	--	38	38	38	40	40	39	37	40	38	46	43	46	44	50	47	54	52	55	53	50	49	49	
22.....	--	--	38	37	37	41	41	40	39	37	40	39	44	42	48	43	51	48	54	54	52	50	49	49	
23.....	--	--	37	37	37	41	41	40	36	43	40	48	40	45	46	43	46	50	48	54	53	50	49	49	
24.....	--	--	37	35	35	41	41	40	36	43	40	48	40	45	44	48	48	54	52	53	52	49	48	48	
25.....	--	--	35	35	35	39	39	40	36	43	39	45	42	51	43	48	48	55	54	52	52	51	49	48	
26.....	--	--	35	35	35	39	39	38	36	45	38	46	43	50	46	48	48	55	54	52	52	49	47	47	
27.....	--	--	35	35	35	38	38	40	37	43	40	46	42	48	46	48	48	56	54	52	52	48	47	47	
28.....	--	--	35	35	35	38	38	40	38	45	40	44	41	48	46	52	50	48	57	54	52	47	46	46	
29.....	--	--	33	33	33	37	37	40	38	--	--	45	40	44	41	48	46	50	48	57	54	52	47	46	
30.....	--	--	36	36	36	37	37	40	39	--	--	42	39	46	43	49	46	50	48	56	55	53	53	46	
31.....	--	--	37	37	37	40	40	39	--	--	41	38	--	--	51	42	--	--	57	53	53	53	--	--	
Average .....	--	--	37	37	37	39	39	40	38	42	38	45	41	49	44	50	47	56	51	55	53	52	48	48	

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN WASHINGTON AND UPPER COLUMBIA RIVER BASIN

## NISQUALLY RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MINERAL CREEK NEAR MINERAL, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, three-eighths of a mile downstream from railroad bridge, 1 mile upstream from mouth, and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles northeast of Mineral, Lewis County.

## DRAINAGE AREA

--74.3 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE--Water temperatures:

August 1951 to September 1953.

Maximum,  $68^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; Aug. 19, minimum,  $36^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; Dec. 25,

Extreme, 1952-53. --Water temperatures:

July 14, Aug. 3, 4-9-13, 1952;

minimum,  $36^{\circ}\text{F}$  Jan. 2-5, 17, 18, 23 Feb. 21, 22, Dec. 25, 1952.

Extremes, 1951-53. --Water temperatures:

Maximum,  $70^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; July 14, Aug. 3, 4-9-13, 1952; minimum,  $36^{\circ}\text{F}$  Jan. 2-5, 17, 18, 23 Feb. 21, 22, Dec. 25, 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max
1	50	32	49	46	43	41	41	40	39	41	40	37	45	40	47	42	49	46	59	49	64	53	60	56	56
2	59	51	48	44	42	42	41	40	39	41	40	37	45	40	48	43	50	46	61	51	65	55	63	56	56
3	59	52	49	46	42	40	41	40	40	42	41	39	43	42	53	44	51	46	59	52	62	55	63	54	54
4	59	51	47	40	40	42	41	40	40	41	41	38	43	41	53	45	50	47	61	51	61	55	64	53	53
5	59	51	50	49	41	40	40	40	40	41	44	40	43	41	53	46	50	46	63	52	61	56	64	54	54
6	59	51	49	47	40	40	39	42	42	41	42	41	40	42	40	40	49	47	64	53	60	56	64	56	56
7	57	51	48	47	40	40	40	40	40	42	45	40	42	40	47	44	49	47	65	54	61	57	59	57	57
8	58	53	49	44	40	40	40	40	40	42	42	40	40	46	40	43	45	44	51	46	66	57	60	57	57
9	55	53	47	44	40	39	42	42	42	40	40	39	44	40	44	41	47	43	52	46	56	57	63	55	55
10	57	51	48	47	40	39	42	41	41	39	43	42	40	45	40	47	43	56	47	66	56	66	64	64	54
11	57	51	48	45	40	39	43	41	41	41	42	41	43	41	42	41	51	42	55	48	67	56	67	57	55
12	57	51	46	44	41	40	43	41	41	40	42	41	40	42	40	43	40	53	44	51	49	66	67	67	57
13	56	50	46	43	41	40	43	42	41	40	42	40	40	42	41	44	49	48	59	58	67	67	63	55	55
14	55	48	44	43	40	39	42	42	41	40	41	39	40	46	40	48	46	51	47	61	57	57	65	55	55
15	54	47	44	42	40	38	42	42	42	40	40	39	41	40	46	40	45	53	48	60	55	64	59	63	55
16	54	48	43	41	40	40	42	42	39	41	40	39	41	40	44	42	46	45	57	47	64	53	59	58	55
17	55	48	43	41	40	40	42	42	40	39	42	39	42	40	48	41	47	46	57	49	65	64	67	58	53
18	55	49	45	43	40	39	43	42	41	40	42	40	40	42	41	47	45	51	48	64	55	67	58	52	52
19	55	52	45	42	40	39	42	42	40	38	44	40	40	47	44	48	46	50	48	59	56	68	58	60	54
20	53	51	45	43	40	40	42	42	39	40	42	39	41	42	40	46	45	50	44	51	47	63	60	52	52
21	57	53	43	42	40	40	42	41	40	39	42	40	40	46	45	48	45	53	47	64	53	66	57	59	51
22	55	51	42	40	38	40	42	41	40	39	41	41	40	45	44	49	44	54	48	60	54	64	57	54	54
23	55	51	42	39	40	38	43	42	41	38	47	41	45	44	46	44	51	48	59	55	61	59	58	53	53
24	54	50	41	39	38	37	43	43	41	37	43	42	48	42	45	44	51	48	62	52	59	57	58	50	51
25	53	49	42	39	37	36	43	43	41	37	43	41	47	44	50	43	51	48	59	56	60	56	55	57	51
26	52	48	42	39	38	37	41	40	39	38	45	40	48	44	50	45	51	48	61	54	60	57	53	50	52
27	52	48	42	40	39	38	40	40	40	41	39	43	42	46	44	49	46	51	49	63	55	57	53	54	51
28	51	47	42	38	39	39	40	41	40	38	44	42	47	43	47	46	53	48	65	54	63	54	56	51	50
29	50	50	42	39	40	40	41	41	40	41	44	42	48	46	55	49	64	54	63	54	63	55	57	50	50
30	51	49	42	39	40	40	41	41	40	41	44	41	46	43	48	45	53	48	62	56	63	55	57	50	50
31	51	47	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Average .....	55	50	45	43	40	39	42	44	41	39	43	40	45	42	49	44	52	48	62	54	63	57	60	54	54

## DUWAMISH RIVER BASIN

## GREEN RIVER NEAR PALMER, WASH.

**LOCATION.**--At City of Tacoma Green River Pipe Line bridge about half a mile below the headworks dam and 2 miles below gaging station which is 2½ miles downstream from North Fork and 3½ miles southeast of Palmer, King County.

**DRainAGE AREA.**--230 square miles at gaging station.

**RECORDS AVAILABLE.**--Water temperatures: August 1950 to September 1953.

Sediment records: August 1950 to September 1953.

**EXTREMES, 1952-53.**--Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 54°F several days in August, Sept. 6, 12; minimum observed, 33°F Nov. 28-30, Dec. 26.

Sediment concentrations: Maximum daily, 430 ppm Jan. 23; minimum daily, 0.5 ppm average Nov. 1-30.

Sediment loads: Maximum daily, 12,800 tons Jan. 23; minimum daily, 0.2 tons average Oct. 1 to Nov. 30, Sept. 1-27.

**EXTREMES, 1950-53.**--Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 61°F Sept. 6, 1950; minimum, freezing point Mar. 8-10, 1951, Jan. 1-5, 1952.

**REMARKS.**--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

## Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

(Once-daily measurement taken at 8:30 a.m.)

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	48	40	34	37	39	36	37	40	40	44	52	52
2	47	42	36	37	39	35	38	40	40	46	52	52
3	50	43	37	38	43	36	41	42	40	48	52	52
4	50	43	38	36	37	38	40	40	43	47	52	52
5	53	44	38	36	38	40	40	42	42	47	52	52
6	50	44	38	36	38	40	38	42	42	50	54	54
7	48	42	38	37	38	38	38	42	42	--	53	52
8	50	42	38	37	38	38	38	40	43	52	52	52
9	50	40	38	38	37	38	40	40	43	52	54	52
10	48	40	36	36	37	38	39	40	44	52	50	52
11	48	40	37	38	38	36	38	39	46	52	52	52
12	48	41	38	42	38	38	38	40	46	52	54	54
13	48	40	38	41	38	38	37	41	44	52	52	50
14	45	38	37	42	41	36	38	40	42	52	52	52
15	45	37	36	42	38	37	38	42	42	50	52	52
16	40	36	37	41	37	38	40	40	42	52	52	52
17	46	38	36	42	36	36	40	--	44	52	52	50
18	46	39	36	42	37	37	40	42	44	52	52	52
19	50	39	37	40	36	38	40	38	44	52	52	50
20	48	38	36	42	36	40	42	47	44	50	54	50
21	48	38	36	44	37	38	40	40	43	52	52	48
22	47	36	37	40	36	38	40	38	45	52	52	52
23	47	36	36	44	38	38	40	40	44	52	52	48
24	47	38	36	42	36	38	40	41	44	50	52	52
25	46	34	34	42	36	37	40	40	44	50	50	52
26	44	34	33	38	38	37	40	42	45	--	52	52
27	52	34	34	36	38	48	41	42	--	50	50	43
28	45	33	34	36	38	39	40	--	42	50	50	40
29	46	33	35	38	--	38	38	44	44	52	49	48
30	45	33	36	39	--	39	40	38	44	52	50	48
31	44	--	36	40	--	37	--	38	--	52	51	--
Average	47	38	36	39	38	38	39	41	43	51	52	51

## DUWAMISH RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR PALMER, WASH.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October			November			December		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	120			191			97		
2.....	117			150			105		
3.....	117			130			114		
4.....	117			122			130		
5.....	112			120			132		
6.....	112			117			127		
7.....	110			114			141		a 0.4
8.....	112			107			197		
9.....	110			105			175		
10.....	110			107			178		
11.....	110			120			210		
12.....	110			127			788	18	s 43
13.....	105			127			664		
14.....	105			120			456		
15.....	105			114			353		
16.....	102	0.6	0.2	112	0.5	0.2	287		
17.....	102			107			242		
18.....	100			105			213		
19.....	100			102			197		
20.....	102			102			181		
21.....	105			102			181		
22.....	105			102			178		
23.....	105			102			168		
24.....	114			102			162		
25.....	112			100			153		
26.....	107			97			147		
27.....	105			97			144		
28.....	102			97			147		
29.....	107			97			175		
30.....	124			100			191		
31.....	138			--	--	--	181		a .4
Total.	3,402	--	6.2	3,395	--	6.0	6,814	--	62.2
	January			February			March		
1.....	175	1	a 0.5	7,960	200	s 4,270	768		
2.....	525	11	16	4,400	50	594	720		
3.....	870			4,000			696		
4.....	672			3,630			680		
5.....	532	5	9	3,010			692		
6.....	484			3,560	20	185	704		
7.....	604			4,370			700		
8.....	966	16	s 49	3,820			752		
9.....	2,440	43	s 270	2,790			910		
10.....	1,940	10	52	2,270			1,020		
11.....	2,740	48	s 418	1,900			1,090		
12.....	3,430	18	s 175	1,610			1,050		
13.....	2,730			1,420			982		
14.....	2,170			1,280			901		
15.....	1,910	5	31	1,180	5.5	20	685		
16.....	2,280			1,260			986		
17.....	4,140	57	s 734	1,210			955		
18.....	5,360	42	s 627	1,090			901		
19.....	4,360	14	165	996			847		
20.....	3,110	4	34	924			816		
21.....	2,670	2	14	874			792		
22.....	3,430	54	s 820	838			824		
23.....	10,800	430	s 12,800	792	3.4	7.5	928		
24.....	5,900	67	s 1,160	760			1,190		
25.....	3,820	29	299	732			1,390		
26.....	2,830	23	176	712			1,230		
27.....	2,380	10	64	748			1,110		
28.....	2,530	12	82	820			1,080		
29.....	3,680	36	s 370	--	--	--	991		
30.....	5,240	40	566	--	--	--	1,040		
31.....	9,180	360	s 10,200	--	--	--	1,030		
Total.	98,898	--	29,260.5	58,956	--	7,029.0	28,640	--	152.4

s Computed by subdividing day.

a Estimated on basis of turbidity-concentration relation.

## DUWAMISH RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR PALMER, WASH.--Continued

Suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Day	April			May			June		
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment		Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day		Mean concen- tration (ppm)	Tons per day
1.....	955			1,570			1,080		
2.....	901			1,440			1,020		
3.....	856			1,340			960		
4.....	820			1,460			960		
5.....	856			1,990			910		
6.....	860	3.1	7.1	2,490	4.5	22	901		
7.....	824			2,410			1,120		
8.....	812			2,010			1,130		
9.....	788			1,630			1,080		
10.....	760			1,360			1,010		
11.....	768			1,200			1,020	2.6	8.0
12.....	808			1,110			1,160		
13.....	838			1,140			2,000		
14.....	838			1,260			1,740		
15.....	804			1,220			1,430		
16.....	847	3.9	10	1,140	1.7	5.5	1,230		
17.....	942			1,100			1,130		
18.....	986			1,120			1,040		
19.....	1,160			1,310			983		
20.....	1,510			1,350			932		
21.....	1,760			1,290			870		
22.....	2,150			1,220			856		
23.....	2,630			1,140			1,040		
24.....	2,500			1,350			1,240		
25.....	2,130			1,330			1,200		
26.....	1,980	4.9	28	1,250	2.5	8.6	1,100	2.8	7.7
27.....	2,080			1,340			1,040		
28.....	2,350			1,360			969		
29.....	2,020			1,340			924		
30.....	1,760			1,300			983		
31.....	--			1,190			--		
Total	39,293	--	451.0	43,760	--	369.6	33,038	--	237.0
	July			August			September		
1.....	919			263			182		
2.....	870			259			186		
3.....	834			251			178		
4.....	789			247			171		
5.....	736			247			168		
6.....	683			251			164		
7.....	652			247			160		
8.....	679			243			164		
9.....	613			239			164		
10.....	566			231			157		
11.....	527			220			150		
12.....	498			212			150		
13.....	481			208			150		
14.....	490			201			146	0.6	a 0.2
15.....	490			201			143		
16.....	448	0.6	0.8	201	0.6	0.3	143		
17.....	422			197			140		
18.....	406			193			136		
19.....	389			186			136		
20.....	372			190			133		
21.....	355			190			126		
22.....	338			182			133		
23.....	326			186			140		
24.....	322			193			143		
25.....	313			197			136		
26.....	309			190			133		
27.....	296			231			140		
28.....	288			231			136		
29.....	284			216			140		
30.....	280			197			136		
31.....	276			186			133		
Total	15,251	--	24.8	6,666	--	9.3	4,995	--	22.8

Total discharge for year (cfs-days)..... 338,128

Total load for year (tons)..... 37,630.8

a Estimated on basis of turbidity-concentration relation.

DUWAMISH RIVER BASIN--Continued

GREEN RIVER NEAR PALMER WASH. --Cont'd

Particle-size analyses of suspended sediment, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 (Methods of analysis: B, bottom withdraw tube; D, dilution; P, pipette; S, sieve; N, in native water;  
 W, in distilled water; C, chemical; M, mechanical; D, dispersed; M<sub>1</sub>, in dispersed water)

Date of collection	Time	Discharge (cfs)	Water tem- per- ature (°F)	Percent finer than indicated size, in millimeters								Methods of analysis				
				Concen- tration of sample (ppm)	Concen- tration of suspension analyzed (ppm)	0.002	0.004	0.008	0.016	0.031	0.062	0.125	0.250	0.500	1.000	2.000
Suspended sediment																
Jan. 22, 1953	6:30 p. m.	3,600	38	42	--	--	--	--	13	26	80	89	95	99	SPWCM	
	12:30 p. m.	12,500	44	611	2,840	--	--	--	20	30	59	74	92	98	SBWCM	
	7:00 p. m.	10,600	42	393	946	12	12	12	20	39	51	71	82	94	SBWCM	
Jan. 23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	S	
Jan. 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	SPWCM	
Jan. 29	10:30 a. m.	3,700	38	37	--	--	--	--	24	24	54	71	86	93	97	SPWCM
Feb. 1	3:30 a. m.	10,900	40	288	2,100	--	--	--	24	24	54	74	86	93	97	SPWCM

## DUWAMISH RIVER BASIN--Continued

## GREEN RIVER NEAR AUBURN, WASH.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station 1½ miles east of Auburn, King County, and 2 miles downstream from Big Soos Creek.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—322 square miles (excludes 4 square miles in the vicinity of Youngs Lake, flow from which has been diverted to Cedar River basin since about 1935).  
 RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: March to June 1932; November 1932 to September 1953.  
 RECORDS, 1932-33.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 62° F July 10-12; minimum, 38° F Nov. 29-30.  
 RECORDS, 1932-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 62° F July 10-12; minimum, 38° F Nov. 29-30; Dec. 1-2, 25.  
 REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1932 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Temperature (°F) of water, November 1932 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, November 1932 to September 1953											
	October		November		December		January		February		March	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	36	36	42	42	43	43	42	41	47	44	47	47
2.....	--	--	41	38	42	42	43	41	48	45	48	47
3.....	--	--	42	40	42	42	43	41	47	45	52	52
4.....	--	--	42	42	42	42	43	41	45	44	53	51
5.....	--	--	43	43	42	42	43	43	45	44	51	52
6.....	--	--	43	43	42	42	43	43	47	45	53	50
7.....	--	--	43	42	42	41	43	43	45	45	52	51
8.....	--	--	42	42	41	41	43	43	46	45	49	49
9.....	--	--	43	41	42	41	43	41	46	46	50	49
10.....	--	--	43	41	42	42	43	42	46	45	49	46
11.....	--	--	41	41	42	42	42	42	47	47	52	48
12.....	--	--	41	41	42	42	42	44	44	47	46	54
13.....	--	--	41	41	42	42	43	42	44	43	45	45
14.....	--	--	41	41	42	42	43	42	44	43	45	45
15.....	--	--	41	39	44	43	43	42	48	47	44	47
16.....	45	44	40	39	44	43	43	43	48	47	50	49
17.....	44	44	40	40	43	43	43	41	43	42	48	47
18.....	45	44	40	40	43	43	41	41	42	42	50	48
19.....	45	45	40	40	43	43	41	41	45	42	50	49
20.....	46	46	40	40	43	43	41	41	44	44	50	49
21.....	46	45	40	40	44	43	42	41	44	43	49	48
22.....	45	43	41	40	44	43	42	41	43	42	48	47
23.....	43	41	41	41	44	43	42	42	46	43	48	47
24.....	41	41	39	39	43	43	42	41	46	45	47	47
25.....	39	38	43	43	43	42	41	41	45	44	47	47
26.....	41	40	39	39	43	42	42	41	46	44	47	47
27.....	40	40	39	39	42	42	42	41	45	48	47	47
28.....	40	40	40	40	42	42	42	42	46	45	48	47
29.....	40	38	41	41	40	42	42	42	47	45	47	47
30.....	38	--	43	42	43	42	42	42	--	45	44	--
31.....	--	--	43	42	42	42	42	42	--	--	52	50
Average .....	--	--	41	40	43	42	42	42	44	44	46	46

## STILLAGUMISH RIVER BASIN

## JIM CREEK NEAR ARLINGTON, WASH.

LOCATION (revised).--Temperature recorder at gaging station at abandoned bridge, 14 miles upstream from mouth and 3 miles southeast of Arlington, Snohomish County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--48.9 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: October 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 71°F July 10, 11 minimum, freezing point on Nov. 27-30, 1952. Minimum, 71°F July 10, 11 maximum, freezing point on Nov. 27-30, 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																							
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	57	54	49	48	36	34	38	36	42	40	46	42	46	44	46	44	54	57	54	58	55	51	59	59
2.....	58	53	49	47	36	38	38	36	40	39	46	42	49	44	46	45	56	55	56	58	53	53	59	59
3.....	57	53	49	47	37	37	41	40	40	37	45	46	54	46	46	45	56	55	56	60	59	56	56	56
4.....	57	52	50	49	38	37	41	40	40	37	45	46	54	46	46	45	56	55	56	60	63	59	64	57
5.....	57	51	50	50	38	36	40	40	40	38	43	44	49	49	49	49	56	55	56	60	67	61	64	57
6.....	57	51	50	47	38	38	40	39	39	38	43	42	46	44	46	45	53	49	58	57	60	66	62	59
7.....	57	51	47	46	39	38	40	39	39	38	45	42	48	48	48	48	52	48	55	70	65	62	60	59
8.....	57	54	46	43	39	39	41	40	40	39	43	42	47	44	47	43	49	47	59	64	64	61	63	59
9.....	56	56	44	41	39	39	42	40	40	39	45	42	47	44	47	44	50	46	63	63	60	62	57	57
10.....	57	55	48	44	39	38	40	40	40	38	45	44	49	43	49	43	50	46	64	71	64	66	58	62
11.....	56	53	48	48	39	38	42	40	40	39	45	44	47	45	47	45	55	45	62	58	71	64	67	60
12.....	50	52	48	46	39	39	42	42	42	40	45	43	49	45	49	43	57	48	61	58	69	64	67	62
13.....	54	51	46	45	39	39	42	42	42	40	44	42	44	42	42	40	60	53	58	56	67	66	59	61
14.....	51	47	45	44	39	37	42	42	42	40	43	40	46	43	46	40	57	53	59	55	64	67	60	57
15.....	50	46	44	42	37	36	42	42	42	40	43	40	49	44	49	44	56	52	59	57	64	61	66	61
16.....	51	47	42	40	38	37	42	42	42	40	43	41	46	44	46	44	55	53	63	56	67	59	62	56
17.....	51	47	43	41	38	38	42	42	42	40	42	41	46	44	46	44	55	53	61	58	68	61	65	57
18.....	51	47	44	43	37	37	42	42	42	40	42	41	48	44	48	44	56	54	59	57	67	61	65	57
19.....	54	50	44	43	39	37	42	42	42	40	43	41	46	44	46	44	54	52	59	57	63	60	67	62
20.....	53	51	44	41	39	36	42	42	42	40	42	41	46	44	46	44	50	58	56	65	66	62	59	54
21.....	56	53	41	39	38	38	42	42	42	40	42	41	47	45	45	43	51	58	56	67	59	66	60	55
22.....	55	50	39	37	38	38	42	42	42	40	42	41	46	45	45	44	51	59	57	64	60	58	57	56
23.....	55	54	36	35	38	35	42	41	41	40	44	42	46	44	46	44	57	50	58	56	65	59	64	56
24.....	55	51	36	34	35	34	42	42	42	40	44	43	48	46	48	45	55	53	57	55	64	62	59	53
25.....	51	49	35	34	34	34	42	42	42	40	43	42	48	46	48	45	56	53	56	62	63	59	55	53
26.....	50	47	34	33	35	33	42	41	41	40	45	43	49	46	46	40	53	58	57	64	59	63	61	54
27.....	50	47	34	32	36	34	41	41	41	40	45	44	48	47	48	47	59	58	59	65	65	61	56	54
28.....	49	47	33	32	37	36	41	41	41	40	44	43	48	44	48	43	55	58	59	57	63	59	64	51
29.....	50	49	32	32	39	37	41	41	41	40	45	43	47	43	47	45	56	53	52	62	58	53	52	51
30.....	51	50	34	32	39	38	42	41	41	40	45	43	47	43	47	45	57	51	52	64	59	63	60	51
31.....	50	49	--	--	32	39	41	41	41	40	45	43	47	43	47	--	57	51	--	--	64	59	63	--
Average.....	54	51	43	41	38	37	41	41	41	40	44	42	47	44	47	44	55	50	56	66	61	65	60	56

## STILLAGUAMISH RIVER BASIN--Continued

## NORTH FORK STILLAGUAMISH RIVER NEAR DARRINGTON, WASH.

LOCATION (revised).—Temperature recorder at gagging station at highway bridge, 1 mile downstream from Squire Creek and 5 miles northwest of Barrington, Snohomish County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—89.2 square miles (revised).

RECORDS.—Water temperatures: March 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 61°F Aug. 5, 10-14° minimum, 35°F Nov. 26-30, Dec. 1, 25-26, 1952.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 63°F Aug. 10-12, 1952; minimum, 35°F Nov. 26-30, Dec. 1, 25-26, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 Given in WSP 1286.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max
1.....	54	51	47	46	36	35	37	37	41	40	39	39	44	42	46	45	48	47	53	49	56	54	56	55	55
2.....	54	51	47	45	37	36	37	37	41	41	39	39	44	42	46	45	49	47	54	50	60	55	55	57	54
3.....	54	51	46	45	37	37	38	37	41	41	39	39	44	43	46	45	48	48	53	50	59	56	58	56	54
4.....	54	51	46	45	37	37	38	37	41	41	40	39	44	43	49	46	49	48	52	50	58	56	58	56	54
5.....	53	50	46	45	38	37	39	38	41	41	40	40	45	43	48	46	49	48	55	50	61	56	58	54	54
6.....	53	50	46	45	38	38	39	38	41	41	41	41	45	43	48	46	49	49	55	51	58	57	57	54	54
7.....	53	50	45	44	38	38	39	38	41	41	41	41	45	43	48	46	49	48	56	52	58	57	56	55	55
8.....	53	52	44	42	38	38	39	41	41	43	42	42	45	43	46	45	49	47	55	52	58	57	57	54	54
9.....	52	52	43	42	38	37	40	40	41	41	43	42	45	44	45	45	51	48	55	52	61	56	57	57	54
10.....	53	51	44	42	37	37	40	40	41	40	43	44	45	43	48	45	51	49	56	52	61	56	57	57	54
11.....	53	51	44	44	37	37	40	40	40	40	43	43	44	43	48	45	50	50	58	54	61	57	57	54	54
12.....	52	50	44	44	37	36	40	40	40	40	43	42	43	41	49	46	50	50	56	54	61	57	56	53	53
13.....	51	49	44	44	38	38	40	40	40	40	42	41	41	40	49	47	50	49	55	54	61	56	56	53	53
14.....	50	47	44	42	38	38	40	40	40	40	42	41	43	41	49	47	50	49	54	53	61	56	56	53	53
15.....	49	47	43	42	38	38	40	40	40	40	42	41	46	42	47	46	49	49	53	53	60	58	55	55	52
16.....	49	47	43	41	38	38	40	40	40	40	42	41	45	43	47	46	52	49	56	52	59	58	54	53	
17.....	48	46	41	41	38	37	40	40	39	39	41	41	45	43	47	46	51	49	57	53	62	56	56	52	
18.....	49	47	42	41	38	37	41	40	39	39	41	41	45	43	47	46	50	49	54	60	60	57	57	51	
19.....	49	47	42	38	38	38	41	41	41	39	43	41	45	44	46	45	49	49	54	53	60	57	54	51	
20.....	49	49	42	38	38	41	41	39	39	41	41	43	45	44	47	45	49	49	56	52	59	57	53	50	
21.....	51	49	42	40	38	38	41	41	40	39	42	41	44	43	46	46	50	49	58	53	60	58	54	50	
22.....	51	48	40	38	38	37	41	41	40	39	42	41	44	43	47	46	50	49	55	54	58	56	52	51	
23.....	50	50	38	37	37	37	41	41	40	39	45	42	44	43	47	46	49	49	54	52	58	56	52	51	
24.....	50	37	36	36	36	36	41	41	40	39	44	43	44	42	47	47	49	49	57	52	56	55	55	49	
25.....	50	48	37	36	37	36	41	41	40	39	43	42	44	44	47	46	49	49	55	54	56	55	54	50	
26.....	48	47	36	35	36	36	41	40	40	39	44	43	45	45	46	46	49	49	57	53	55	54	50	49	
27.....	48	47	36	35	36	36	40	40	40	39	43	43	45	44	46	45	48	48	54	54	56	54	54	49	
28.....	48	47	35	35	36	37	36	40	40	40	--	--	44	43	46	44	48	48	58	54	55	54	48	48	
29.....	47	47	35	35	36	37	37	37	40	40	--	--	44	42	46	45	48	48	50	49	58	55	54	48	
30.....	48	47	35	35	35	35	37	37	37	37	--	--	43	42	--	--	48	47	--	--	58	54	57	--	
31.....	47	47	--	--	--	--	37	37	41	40	--	--	43	42	--	--	48	47	--	--	58	54	57	--	
Average.....	51	49	42	41	37	37	40	40	40	40	41	41	44	43	47	46	50	49	56	53	58	56	54	52	





SKAGIT RIVER BASIN—Continued  
CASCADE RIVER AT MARBLEMOUNT, WASH.

LOCATION (revised).—Temperature recorder at gauging station, 1½ miles downstream from Boulder Creek, 2 miles east of Marblemount, Skagit County, and 2½ miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—171 square miles (revised).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: May 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 55°F. Aug. 19-20, minimum, 34°F Nov. 29-30.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 57°F July 9-11, 14-28; minimum, 34°F Nov. 29-30, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min		
1.....	51	49	46	45	39	37	39	38	39	39	40	39	39	42	40	44	43	44	43	44	43	49	45	48	53	
2.....	50	49	45	44	40	38	39	39	40	39	40	39	39	42	40	46	43	44	43	44	43	49	45	49	52	
3.....	50	49	46	45	40	40	39	39	40	40	40	40	40	42	42	46	43	45	44	48	45	45	52	50	49	
4.....	50	49	46	45	40	40	39	39	40	40	40	40	40	42	42	46	43	45	44	47	43	49	45	49	50	
5.....	50	48	47	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	47	47	47	50	45	45	45	45	45	49	50	50	
6.....	50	49	47	46	40	40	38	40	40	40	40	40	40	42	41	43	42	44	42	47	44	44	51	46	51	
7.....	50	49	48	47	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	51	51	51	
8.....	50	49	48	47	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	51	51	51	
9.....	50	50	49	48	42	40	38	39	39	40	38	41	41	41	44	43	42	41	45	43	49	46	51	51	51	
10.....	50	50	49	48	41	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	41	40	44	43	42	41	48	43	50	45	52	50	
11.....	50	49	48	47	42	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	41	41	44	42	43	41	44	42	46	46	49	50	
12.....	49	48	45	45	39	39	40	39	39	39	40	39	39	42	42	42	41	47	42	45	44	47	54	50	52	
13.....	48	47	44	44	39	39	39	39	40	39	40	40	40	41	40	47	42	44	43	47	42	48	53	53	51	
14.....	47	45	44	43	39	39	41	41	41	40	41	40	40	43	40	47	43	45	43	49	46	46	51	50	52	
15.....	45	45	43	42	39	39	41	41	41	40	40	40	40	41	41	45	42	44	43	45	44	49	47	51	50	
16.....	46	45	42	41	40	39	41	41	40	39	41	40	40	41	41	44	42	44	43	49	46	54	52	50	50	
17.....	46	45	42	41	40	39	41	41	40	39	41	40	40	41	40	44	43	47	43	47	43	46	54	52	50	
18.....	46	45	42	41	39	39	41	41	40	39	41	40	40	41	41	45	43	45	43	47	43	46	54	50	50	
19.....	47	46	43	43	40	39	41	41	40	40	40	40	40	41	41	46	44	44	42	46	44	48	53	53	51	
20.....	47	47	43	42	40	40	41	41	41	40	40	40	40	41	40	46	44	44	42	46	44	48	55	52	51	
21.....	48	47	42	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	41	40	44	43	44	41	47	45	48	53	52	51	
22.....	48	47	41	40	39	38	40	40	38	38	40	40	40	40	41	44	43	44	42	46	45	51	51	51	50	
23.....	47	47	43	42	39	38	40	40	38	38	40	40	40	40	41	44	43	43	46	42	45	44	51	50	49	
24.....	48	47	43	42	38	38	38	38	37	37	40	40	39	43	43	46	42	46	42	45	44	48	50	49	48	
25.....	48	46	43	43	37	37	36	40	40	39	43	41	44	43	46	43	46	43	45	45	48	51	49	48	48	
26.....	46	45	38	37	36	36	37	36	36	36	40	40	40	43	41	45	43	48	44	47	45	52	48	50	49	
27.....	45	45	37	36	36	36	37	36	37	36	40	39	40	43	43	44	43	48	44	46	45	52	49	49	49	
28.....	45	45	36	35	35	35	36	35	35	35	39	39	40	40	43	43	43	42	48	43	46	45	51	49	48	
29.....	46	45	36	35	34	34	35	34	35	34	39	39	39	39	39	42	45	42	48	44	45	53	50	48	47	
30.....	47	46	37	37	34	34	35	34	35	34	39	39	39	39	39	42	45	43	44	42	47	45	52	50	48	
31.....	47	46	37	36	34	34	35	34	35	34	39	39	39	39	39	42	41	41	44	41	41	47	45	51	50	
Average.....	48	47	42	41	39	39	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	41	44	42	45	42	46	44	41	47	53	50	51	50

## COLUMBIA RIVER AT INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY

LOCATION -At cableway, 2.2 miles downstream from international gaging station, which is 0.5 mile downstream from Pend Oreille River, and about 10 miles upstream from Northport, Stevens County, Wash.

DRAMA AREA -55,700 square miles approximately.  
RECORDS AVAILABLE -Chemical analyses: February 1910-January 1911, November 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: November 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES 1952-53 -Dissolved solids: Maximum, 110 ppm April 11-20; minimum, 78 ppm July 21-31.

Hardness: Maximum, 92 ppm Mar. 1-10; minimum, 68 ppm July 1-10, 21-31.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 160 micromhos Mar. 10; minimum daily, 131 micromhos July 27-30.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 63°F Aug. 11, 20; minimum observed, 38°F on many days from December to March.

EXTREMES 1951-53 -Dissolved solids: Maximum, 110 ppm Apr. 11-20, 1952; minimum, 78 ppm July 21-31, 1953.

Hardness: Maximum, 92 ppm Mar. 1-10, 1953; minimum, 63 ppm July 11-17, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 180 micromhos Mar. 10, 11, 12, 13; minimum daily, 131 micromhos July 27-30, 1953.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 63°F Aug. 4, 11, 20, 1952; minimum observed, 38°F on many days from April 11-20, 1952.

REMARKS -Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available at Portland, Oregon. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids										Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Soil-solubility ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Color
		Parts per million	Parts per acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per milliliter				
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ...	50,550	4.8	0.02	21	Cal-	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo-	Boron (B)	Ni-	Bo-	9	4	0.1	148	7.4
Oct. 11-20, 1952 ...	48,990	5.4	.03	22	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Sodium (Na)	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Magnesium (Mg)	ride (F)	trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	72	12	5	158	7.5
Oct. 21-31, 1952 ...	48,770	5.5	.03	23	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	ride (F)	trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	76	12	1	162	7.5
Nov. 1-30, 1952 ...	46,110	5.7	.02	24	Mag-	ne-	77	13	0.3	0.3	91	.12	1	154	7.5
Dec. 1-31, 1952 ...	33,160	6.8	.01	25	ne-	ne-	78	14	.4	.7	95	.12	1	162	7.5
Jan. 1-31, 1953 ...	32,250	6.7	.01	25	ne-	ne-	80	16	.1	.1	98	.13	1	174	7.4
Feb. 1-28, 1953 ...	38,650	7.1	.02	24	ne-	ne-	82	17	.6	.1	103	.14	1	180	7.6
Mar. 1-10, 1953 ...	35,330	11	.03	27	ne-	ne-	82	17	.6	.1	105	.14	1	180	7.7
Mar. 11-20, 1953 ...	37,000	8.1	.03	25	ne-	ne-	84	18	.2	.2	106	.15	1	180	7.5
Mar. 21-31, 1953 ...	36,380	8.1	.05	26	ne-	ne-	86	19	.9	.2	108	.15	1	180	7.5
Apr. 1-10, 1953 ...	36,510	8.1	.04	25	ne-	ne-	84	17	1.1	.2	108	.15	1	179	7.4
Apr. 11-20, 1953 ...	36,220	7.5	.07	26	ne-	ne-	86	18	.8	.2	108	.15	1	180	7.4
Apr. 21-30, 1953 ...	47,090	7.5	.05	24	ne-	ne-	90	19	.9	.5	110	.15	1	167	7.5
May 1-10 ...	88,110	8.0	.07	23	ne-	ne-	79	18	.8	.2	96	.13	1	160	7.1
May 11-20 ...	143,400	7.5	.02	22	ne-	ne-	76	16	.4	.2	89	.12	1	150	7.2
May 21-31 ...	196,400	7.0	.02	21	ne-	ne-	74	14	.6	.2	76	.12	1	147	7.2

## COLUMBIA RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLUMBIA RIVER AT INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Fluoride (F)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Calcium, magnesium	Non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH		
													Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day							
June 1-10, 1953	255,900	7.7	0.02	21	4.9	1.7	0.5	7.7	15	0.4	0.1	0.6	--	.88	0.12	60,800	73	9	5	149	7.6	5
June 11-20	343,900	8.1	.02	21	4.9	1.8	.5	7.6	11	1.0	.1	.6	--	.89	.12	82,420	73	10	5	149	7.5	5
June 21-30	273,600	7.8	.02	20	4.7	1.9	.5	7.6	13	.5	.1	.7	--	.86	.12	63,530	69	7	5	144	7.4	5
July 1-10	233,300	7.0	.02	20	4.5	1.6	.5	7.4	13	.8	.1	.8	--	.83	.11	52,510	68	8	5	140	7.5	--
July 11-20	237,600	6.3	.02	20	5.2	1.8	.9	7.2	11	1.0	.2	.6	.05	.82	.11	52,600	71	12	5	137	7.8	7
July 21-31	190,200	5.7	.02	19	4.9	1.4	.9	7.0	11	1.2	.1	.6	--	.78	.11	40,080	68	10	4	134	7.3	5
Aug. 1-10	130,100	6.0	.02	20	5.0	1.4	.9	7.2	12	.8	.2	.7	--	.81	.11	28,450	70	11	4	137	7.4	8
Aug. 11-20	97,250	4.9	.03	20	4.7	1.4	.9	7.1	13	1.2	.1	.6	.03	.80	.11	21,010	69	11	4	138	7.5	5
Aug. 21-31	89,530	5.9	.02	20	4.7	1.3	1.3	7.1	13	1.0	.2	.6	--	.82	.11	22,040	69	11	4	140	7.5	7
Sept. 1-10	80,670	4.7	.01	21	4.5	1.2	.6	7.2	13	.5	.2	.6	--	.81	.11	17,840	71	12	4	143	7.2	6
Sept. 11-20	72,750	5.0	.01	22	4.7	1.3	.6	7.4	14	.8	.2	.6	.04	.84	.11	16,500	74	14	4	146	7.5	3
Sept. 21-30	70,540	6.1	.01	23	5.2	1.5	.6	81	14	.7	.1	.8	--	.91	.12	17,330	79	12	4	156	7.4	3
Weighted average.	98,310	6.8	0.02	22	5.1	1.8	0.7	7.7	14	0.8	0.2	0.6	--	.89	0.12	22,420	76	13	5	151	--	--

## COLUMBIA RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLUMBIA RIVER AT INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	
1	60	50	40	39	--	38	--	46	50	53	--	61	
2	60	50	41	39	40	38	42	46	50	53	61	61	
3	60	52	41	38	40	38	42	--	--	53	61	61	
4	60	50	41	38	40	39	42	47	51	--	61	61	
5	--	50	41	38	40	38	42	48	51	55	61	61	
6	60	49	--	38	40	39	42	48	51	56	60	62	
7	59	49	42	38	39	39	42	48	51	57	60	62	
8	58	48	42	38	38	39	42	47	50	58	--	61	
9	58	--	42	38	38	40	42	46	51	57	62	61	
10	58	48	42	38	38	41	42	--	--	58	62	61	
11	58	48	42	38	38	41	43	47	46	58	63	61	
12	58	48	--	38	39	41	43	47	53	58	62	61	
13	57	48	41	39	38	41	43	48	52	59	61	61	
14	57	49	41	39	38	41	42	48	51	59	62	61	
15	58	48	--	39	38	41	44	49	51	58	62	61	
16	56	48	41	39	38	40	43	50	50	--	62	61	
17	56	--	41	39	--	40	44	50	49	--	62	60	
18	56	48	--	39	38	40	--	51	50	60	62	61	
19	56	48	40	39	38	--	45	50	52	58	62	60	
20	56	48	40	39	38	40	--	49	52	58	63	60	
21	56	46	--	39	38	40	47	49	52	58	62	59	
22	--	44	40	39	39	40	46	49	52	58	--	59	
23	56	44	40	40	38	40	47	48	52	58	62	59	
24	54	44	40	40	38	40	46	48	52	58	62	59	
25	54	44	--	40	38	41	48	48	52	59	62	59	
26	53	44	40	39	38	41	47	48	53	59	62	59	
27	53	43	39	39	38	42	48	49	52	59	62	--	
28	53	43	38	39	38	42	47	49	52	60	62	58	
29	--	--	38	39	--	42	46	50	--	59	--	57	
30	--	41	38	39	--	42	46	50	53	59	61	57	
31	--	--	38	39	--	42	--	50	--	60	61	--	
Average		57	47	40	39	38	40	44	48	51	58	62	60

## SPOKANE RIVER BASIN

## COEUR D'ALENE RIVER AT CATALDO, IDAHO

LOCATION.—At old wooden highway bridge, just upstream from new bridge on U.S. Highway 10, at Cataldo, Shoshone County, 1½ miles downstream from gaging station and 4½ miles downstream from South Fork.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: October 1952 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: October 1952 to September 1953. Sept. 11-20; minimum, 38 ppm May 1-10, 11-20.

EXTREMES 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 95 ppm Sept. 11-20; minimum, 38 ppm Apr. 23-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 61 ppm Sept. 11-20; minimum, 20 ppm Nov. 27.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 43.3 micromhos May 7.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 169° F July 13; minimum observed, freezing point on several days during November to December.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore. Records of discharge for gaging station near Cataldo for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH			
												Parts per mil-	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day							
Oct. 20-31, 1952	319	9.9	0.02	14	5.6	2.7	1.6	38	34	1.2	0.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	58	27	9	0.2	143	7.1	3
Nov. 1-10.....	321	9.7	0.02	13	5.4	2.5	1.3	38	33	1.0	.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	55	24	9	.1	139	7.2	3
Nov. 11-20.....	347	9.6	0.02	13	5.3	2.7	1.3	38	29	1.1	.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	54	23	9	.2	135	7.2	3
Nov. 21-30.....	261	9.7	0.02	14	5.9	2.7	1.3	35	38	1.3	.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	59	30	9	.2	146	7.2	3
Dec. 1-11.....	308	9.1	0.04	14	5.4	2.7	1.3	38	34	1.2	.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	57	26	9	.2	143	7.4	3
Dec. 19-31.....	332	9.3	.04	14	5.6	2.5	1.3	36	36	1.2	.1	1.7	1.7	1.7	58	28	8	.1	145	7.2	5
Jan. 1-12, 1953 ..	1,366	8.7	.06	13	4.6	2.4	1.4	36	30	1.0	.2	1.5	1.5	1.5	51	30	11	.2	133	7.1	5
Jan. 13-31.....	1,366	8.9	.06	7.3	2.8	1.9	1.0	23	16	.8	.01	.54	.07	.07	680	26	9	.1	133	7.1	5
Feb. 1-16.....	6,233	10	.06	6.2	2.6	1.7	1.0	22	13	.7	.2	.4	.02	.02	821	26	8	.1	67.8	7.0	5
Feb. 17-26.....	1,975	10	.03	6.6	3.4	1.9	1.0	28	18	.5	.2	.4	.4	.4	535	12	10	.1	89.3	7.1	6
Mar. 1-10.....	1,377	9.5	.02	9.8	3.7	4.0	1.0	30	22	1.0	.1	.5	.5	.5	40	15	18	.3	96.8	6.9	5
Mar. 11-20.....	2,388	9.6	.04	8.0	3.8	1.2	.7	24	16	.5	.1	.5	.02	.02	34	14	7	.1	78.4	7.1	5
Mar. 21-31.....	2,728	9.6	.12	7.8	2.8	.8	.8	15	15	.8	.1	.5	.0	.0	420	31	10	.2	75.4	7.0	5
Apr. 1-10.....	2,938	9.5	.04	7.4	3.0	2.3	.6	28	13	.8	.1	2	2	2	53	07	420	.31	8	16	.2
Apr. 11-22.....	3,350	9.3	.04	7.2	3.0	1.8	.6	27	12	.6	.1	1.5	.01	.01	461	30	8	.1	75.1	7.0	4
Apr. 23-30.....	12,225	9.3	.09	4.8	2.0	1.3	.6	21	7.1	.4	.1	.4	.4	.4	40	1	12	.1	49.8	6.6	8
May 1-10.....	6,711	9.3	.07	4.8	2.1	1.4	.6	20	8.0	.6	.1	.4	.4	.4	38	.05	894	.21	4	12	.1
May 11-20.....	6,927	9.0	.06	4.8	2.1	1.4	.5	22	7.9	.5	.1	.4	.04	.04	38	.05	700	.22	4	12	.1
May 21-31.....	5,651	8.8	.08	5.3	2.4	1.4	.9	21	9.4	.5	.1	.3	—	—	40	.05	610	.23	6	11	.1
June 1-10.....	5,065	8.8	.05	6.2	2.0	2.4	.8	23	10	.9	.1	4	—	—	41	.06	561	.24	5	17	.2
June 11-20.....	3,437	9.0	.04	7.2	2.4	2.6	.8	25	12	1.0	.1	1.5	.03	.03	47	.06	436	.28	7	16	.2
June 21-30.....	1,978	9.4	.04	8.4	2.1	3.4	1.2	27	18	1.3	.1	1.8	—	—	59	.06	34	.12	17	6.8	7
July 1-10.....	1,404	9.4	.04	9.2	3.3	2.7	1.2	31	19	.5	.1	1.6	—	—	59	.08	224	.36	11	13	.2
July 11-20.....	984	9.6	.04	10	3.8	2.7	1.2	31	22	.8	.1	1.5	.01	.01	66	.09	175	.41	15	12	.2
July 21-31.....	711	9.6	.07	12	4.5	2.5	1.7	37	27	1.3	.1	1.7	—	—	76	.10	146	.48	18	10	.2

Aug. 1-10, 1953 .	577	10	.06	12	4.8	3.0	1.7	33	30	1.0	.1	.8	-	61	.11	126	50	23	11	.2	124	6.7	5
Aug. 11-20 .....	473	11	.04	14	5.0	4.4	1.8	35	36	1.9	.1	.6	.04	92	.13	117	56	27	14	.3	133	6.9	5
Aug. 21-31 .....	465	10	.09	14	5.6	2.9	1.8	36	33	1.7	.1	.8	--	89	.12	112	58	28	9	.2	138	6.9	5
Sept. 1-10 .....	392	12	.21	14	5.2	3.7	2.1	35	36	1.5	.1	.4	--	93	.13	98.4	56	28	12	.2	142	7.0	5
Sept. 11-20 .....	328	11	.07	15	5.8	3.7	1.5	39	39	1.6	.1	.4	.03	95	.13	84.1	61	29	11	.2	150	6.9	5
Sept. 21-30 .....	360	10	.02	13	5.6	2.6	2.3	36	34	.9	.1	.9	--	88	.12	85.5	56	26	9	.2	137	7.4	5
Weighted average	a 2,573	9.4	0.06	6.9	2.8	1.9	0.9	24	13	0.7	0.1	0.5	--	50	0.07	347	29	9	12	0.2	71.6	--	--

a Represents 99 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## SPOKANE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## COEUR D'ALENE RIVER AT CATALDO, IDAHO--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	--	43	32	40	43	34	44	45	55	--	65	63
2	--	42	34	36	43	33	44	46	52	60	65	62
3	--	41	36	35	44	36	42	50	48	63	65	63
4	--	42	36	38	41	39	45	52	50	62	65	62
5	--	43	37	38	41	40	45	52	52	64	68	62
6	--	44	36	35	44	40	42	50	--	65	68	63
7	--	39	36	42	42	--	43	45	--	66	69	64
8	--	43	37	42	42	42	42	46	53	67	69	64
9	--	39	37	46	38	45	44	46	51	64	64	62
10	--	39	35	42	39	42	45	47	56	63	65	62
11	--	38	34	42	38	40	42	49	57	60	67	62
12	--	42	--	41	44	39	42	51	55	70	67	62
13	--	38	--	43	40	38	42	52	54	72	66	62
14	--	41	--	40	39	41	43	52	54	69	67	61
15	--	44	--	41	--	--	47	53	54	60	67	60
16	--	42	--	39	--	39	48	52	59	66	65	58
17	--	40	--	41	--	--	47	52	57	--	57	
18	--	--	--	42	--	--	48	53	56	67	67	57
19	--	--	37	39	--	--	49	49	54	65	68	57
20	48	--	36	43	--	--	49	48	53	65	65	56
21	51	--	35	43	--	--	--	46	57	65	66	56
22	51	--	36	40	--	--	47	48	58	67	65	--
23	50	--	35	43	37	43	44	48	54	65	64	56
24	47	--	31	39	37	--	47	46	55	65	60	56
25	45	34	32	--	39	44	46	47	58	65	64	55
26	44	31	31	39	39	45	48	50	60	66	58	52
27	45	31	36	39	38	45	46	52	--	66	65	54
28	44	31	38	37	--	42	43	55	54	65	60	53
29	44	31	--	44	--	--	48	51	60	65	62	56
30	48	32	39	43	--	43	--	50	62	65	66	56
31	44	--	38	45	--	--	--	53	--	65	64	--
Aver-	age	--	--	41	--	--	45	50	55	65	65	59

## SPOKANE RIVER BASIN—Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SPOKANE RIVER BASIN

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicar-bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Bo-ron Parts per mil-lion	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Tons per acre-foot	Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Parts per mil-lion	Percent calcium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH	Col- or
Chemical analyses, in parts per million, October 1952																						
Oct. 19, 1952 ...	132	9.4	6.4	2.2	3.3	32	4.0	1.0	0.6	4.5				25	0			62.0	7.4			
Oct. 19, 1952 ...	198	9.8	5.7	1.9	3.2	30	3.0	0.7	0.7	4.0				22	0			52.7	7.4			
COEUR D'ALENE RIVER AT ENAVILLE, IDAHO																						
SOUTH FORK COEUR D'ALENE RIVER NEAR MULLAN, IDAHO																						
Oct. 19, 1952 ...	8.8	11	3.6	3.5	55	3.0	0.8	0.8	0.9	64				42	0			96.0	7.4			
ST. JOE RIVER AT CALDER, IDAHO																						
Oct. 18, 1952 ...	302	8.4	8.2	1.7	3.6	38	3.0	0.5	0.5	0.7	4.5			28	0			64.0	7.4			
ST. MARIES RIVER AT LOTUS, IDAHO																						
COEUR D'ALENE LAKE AT COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO																						
Oct. 17, 1952 ...	7.8	5.5	2.0	2.5	24	6.0	0.5	0.5	0.7	4.0				22	2			54.3	7.2			
BLUE CREEK BAY NEAR COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO																						
SPOKANE RIVER NEAR POST FALLS, IDAHO																						
Oct. 17, 1952 ...	1,590	7.1	5.6	2.0	1.8	24	4.0	1.0	0.9	61				22	0			57.4	7.2			
COEUR D'ALENE LAKE AT COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO																						
Oct. 17, 1952 ...	7.3	5.5	2.3	2.3	24	6.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	39				23	3			56.2	7.2			

## SPOKANE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SPOKANE RIVER BASIN--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, October 1952--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH	
													Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day					
SPOKANE RIVER BELOW GREENE STREET AT SPOKANE, WASH.																				
Oct. 16, 1952 ...		9.0		15	5.6	2.8		68	7.0	1.5		1.6		82			60	4		133 7.4
SPOKANE RIVER AT SPOKANE, WASH.																				
Oct. 16, 1952 ...	1,680	9.3		15	6.3			7.6		77	9.0	4.5		1.3		91			63 0	
LATAH CREEK AT SPOKANE, WASH.																				
Oct. 16, 1952 ...	19	24		38	11	15		180	15	4.5		3.1		201			140	0		316 7.9
LITTLE SPOKANE RIVER AT DARTFORD, WASH.																				
Oct. 16, 1952 ...	174	19		31	7.7	6.4		139	4.0	2.0		2.2		144			109	0		238 7.8
SPOKANE RIVER AT LONG LAKE, WASH.																				
Oct. 16, 1952 ...	2,750	9.0		22	9.2	5.1		108	9.0	2.5		2.9		116			93	4		200 7.7
CHAMOKANE CREEK AT FORD, WASH.																				
Oct. 16, 1952 ...	32		22	8.5	6.2	1.8	3.0	1.5		2.7		1.5		138			90	0		205 7.7

## SPOKANE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SPOKANE RIVER BASIN--Continued

Copper, lead, zinc, and related physical measurements, October 1952  
 /Analytical results in parts per million except as indicated/

Date of collection	Mean dis-charge (cfs)	Copper (Cu)	Lead (Pb)	Zinc (Zn)	Specific conductance-(micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH
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## SOUTH FORK COEUR D'ALENE RIVER NEAR WALLACE, IDAHO

Oct. 19, 1952 .....		0.15	0.22	2.0	258	7.1
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## SOUTH FORK COEUR D'ALENE RIVER AT ENAVILLE, IDAHO

Oct. 19, 1952.....		0.19	0.10	5.0	342	7.1
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## COEUR D'ALENE RIVER NEAR CATALDO, IDAHO

Oct. 19, 1952 .....	316	0.15	0.06	1.5	141	7.2
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## COEUR D'ALENE LAKE AT COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO

Oct. 17, 1952 .....			0.02		54.3	7.2
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## BLUE CREEK BAY NEAR COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO

Oct. 17, 1952 .....			0.03		56.2	7.2
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## COEUR D'ALENE LAKE AT HARRISON, IDAHO

Oct. 21, 1952 .....		0.06		0.2	63.3	7.5
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## SPOKANE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MISCELLANEOUS ANALYSES OF STREAMS IN SPOKANE RIVER BASIN--Continued

Periodic determinations of suspended-sediment discharge, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date	Discharge (cfs)	Suspended sediment	
		Mean concentration (ppm)	Discharge (tons per day)

## COEUR D'ALENE RIVER AT ENAVILLE, IDAHO

Apr. 11, 1953.....	1,920	1	5
May 2 .....	6,330	13	222
May 23.....	3,350	3	27
June 18 .....	1,790	2	10
Aug. 22 .....	289	--	e 3

## SOUTH FORK COEUR D'ALENE RIVER NEAR MULLAN, IDAHO

Apr. 12, 1953 .....	31.5	2	0.2
May 1 .....	143	4	1.5
May 24.....	163	3	1.3
June 18 .....	132	1	.4
Aug. 21 .....	14.8	--	e .1

## SOUTH FORK COEUR D'ALENE RIVER AT ENAVILLE, IDAHO

Apr. 12, 1953.....	447	1,990	2,400
Apr. 14 .....	e 420	1,760	2,000
May 1 .....	1,640	522	2,310
May 24.....	1,400	393	1,490
June 18 .....	961	569	1,480
Aug. 22 .....	147	4,200	1,670

## COEUR D'ALENE RIVER NEAR CATALDO, IDAHO

Apr. 11, 1953.....	2,490	344	2,310
May 2 .....	7,650	134	2,770
May 25.....	5,010	49	663
June 18 .....	2,850	150	1,150
Aug. 22 .....	422	149	170

## COEUR D'ALENE RIVER AT DUDLEY, IDAHO

Apr. 13, 1953.....	--	355	
May 2 .....	8,290	58	1,300
May 25.....	5,270	26	370
June 20.....	2,780	115	863

## LATAH CREEK AT SPOKANE, WASH.

Apr. 15, 1953.....	144	9	3.5
Apr. 23.....	119	11	3.5
May 1 .....	695	184	345
May 8.....	183	27	13
May 15.....	95	13	3.3
May 22.....	74	10	2.0
May 29.....	264	80	57
June 5 .....	121	30	9.8
June 15 .....	134	114	41
June 25.....	49	31	4.1
July 1 .....	40	94	10
Aug. 12.....	12.5	285	9.6

e Estimated.

## COLUMBIA RIVER MAIN STEM

## COLUMBIA RIVER AT GRAND COULEE DAM, WASH.

LOCATION.—At Grand Coulee Dam, Grant-Okanogan County line, 2,500 feet upstream from gaging station, which is 14 miles upstream from Nespelem River.

DATA AREA.—74,100 square miles (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: November 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: November 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 11.0 ppm May 11-13; minimum daily, 183 micromhos May 11, 13; maximum daily, 132 micromhos Aug. 27.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 64°F Sept. 24-27; minimum observed, 40°F on several days during March.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 64°F Sept. 11-20, 1952; May 11-10, 1953; minimum, 80 ppm Sept. 1-10, 11-20, 1952.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 110 ppm Apr. 13-21, 1952; minimum daily, 128 micromhos May 31, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum observed, 183 micromhos Apr. 13-21, 1952; minimum observed, 135°F Mar. 3, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 65°F Aug. 13, 1951; minimum observed, 33°F Mar. 3, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1266.

## Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mag- ne- sium (Mg)	Potas- sium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Cal- cium, mag- ne- sium per acre- foot	Non- carbon- ate per ton per million	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or	pH
													Parts per milli- on	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per ton						
Oct. 1-10, 1952	53,350	--	5.4	21	5.0	1.8	75	12	1.0	0.8	0.07	82	0.11	11,810	--	--	--	144	--	--	
Oct. 11-31	51,760	--	5.4	21	5.2	1.8	78	12	1.0	0.6	0.07	82	0.11	11,460	73	12	5	145	7.5	7.3	
Nov. 10-30	51,580	4.6	5.1	23	5.4	1.6	80	14	8	0.6	0.07	85	0.12	11,840	74	10	5	150	7.3	7.6	
Dec. 1-31	47,910	5.1	5.1	23	5.4	1.6	83	14	1.1	0.6	0.07	90	0.12	11,640	80	14	4	158	7.4	7.3	
Jan. 1-31, 1953	44,350	6.2	4.7	24	4.7	2.4	83	14	1.1	0.7	0.07	95	0.13	11,500	78	10	6	161	7.3	7.3	
Feb. 1-28	44,170	6.1	24	4.9	2.5	1.1	83	14	1.1	0.6	0.07	98	0.13	16,980	79	11	6	168	7.3	7.3	
Mar. 1-10	70,200	8.0	23	4.8	2.8	1.8	86	16	1.8	1.7	0.05	100	0.14	18,950	78	8	7	170	7.8	7.8	
Mar. 11-20	75,680	7.9	24	4.7	2.6	1.7	83	21	1.5	1.2	0.05	106	0.14	21,680	80	12	6	178	7.6	7.6	
Mar. 21-31	75,610	8.2	23	4.7	2.6	1.0	81	18	1.0	1.1	0.05	101	0.14	20,620	77	11	7	169	7.1	7.1	
Apr. 1-10	76,300	8.6	24	4.5	2.9	1.6	83	18	1.6	1.2	0.05	103	0.14	21,220	78	10	7	172	7.3	7.3	
Apr. 11-20	76,760	9.5	24	4.9	2.5	1.5	83	17	1.5	1.4	0.05	108	0.15	22,980	80	11	6	174	7.7	7.7	
Apr. 21-30	72,340	9.1	24	5.2	2.7	1.0	84	17	1.0	0.6	0.05	105	0.14	20,510	81	12	7	174	7.4	7.4	
MAY 1-10	69,730	8.9	25	5.0	2.9	1.7	87	17	1.4	1.0	0.05	105	0.14	19,770	82	11	7	176	7.3	7.3	
May 11-20	72,560	9.5	23	5.3	2.8	1.5	83	17	1.5	1.1	0.07	110	0.15	21,550	80	12	6	178	7.8	7.8	
May 21-31	215,000	9.5	21	4.8	2.1	1.3	77	16	1.3	0.4	0.05	100	0.14	58,050	72	9	6	161	7.8	7.6	
June 1-10	283,900	8.0	20	3.6	1.7	1.2	69	12	1.3	0.8	0.05	87	0.12	69,040	64	7	5	143	7.6	7.6	
June 11-20	351,150	8.4	19	4.1	2.2	1.1	67	11	1.5	0.6	0.05	84	0.11	79,630	61	6	7	137	7.6	7.6	
June 21-30	279,700	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	85	0.12	149,190	--	--	--	140	--	--	

## COLUMBIA RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLUMBIA RIVER AT GRAND COULEE DAM, WASH.--Continued

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued																						
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Calcium, Non-magnesium	Percent carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH
July 1-10, 1953... July 11-20, 1953... July 21-31, 1953... Aug. 1-10, 1953... Aug. 11-20, 1953... Aug. 21-31, 1953... Sept. 1-10, 1953... Sept. 11-20, 1953... Sept. 21-30, 1953... Weighted average a 1,063,400	243,900 244,100 195,100 134,600 98,600 102,200 90,120 78,400 74,980 --	-- 7.7 -- -- 7.8 -- -- -- 6.8 --	-- 19 -- -- 19 -- -- -- 19 --	-- 4.7 -- -- 3.9 -- -- -- 4.9 --	-- 2.1 -- -- 2.2 -- -- -- 1.2 --	-- 73 -- -- 69 -- -- -- 69 --	-- 11 -- -- 10 -- -- -- 10 --	-- 1.0 -- -- 1.7 -- -- -- 1.3 --	-- 0.7 -- -- 1.7 -- -- -- 1.0 --	-- 0.05 -- -- .7 -- -- -- .11 --	-- 86 -- -- 82 -- -- -- 81 --	.12 86 .11 -- .11 -- -- -- .11 --	.12 56,980 44,250 29,800 22,320 22,350 19,710 17,150 16,810 25,880	-- 67 -- -- 64 -- -- -- 68 --	-- 7 -- -- 7 -- -- -- 11 --	-- 6 -- -- 7 -- -- -- 4 --	-- 143 140 139 138 138 139 135 141 150	-- 0.1 -- -- .1 -- -- -- .1 --	-- 142 140 139 138 138 139 135 141 150	-- 7.6 -- -- 7.6 -- -- -- 7.6 --	--	--	

a Represents 99 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## COLUMBIA RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## COLUMBIA RIVER AT GRAND COULEE DAM, WASH.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement taken at approximately 10 a.m. /

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	62	--	55	44	44	42	41	43	49	53	59	63
2	63	--	54	--	44	41	41	42	49	53	59	62
3	63	--	54	44	44	41	41	43	49	53	59	62
4	63	--	54	44	43	40	42	43	50	53	59	63
5	62	--	54	44	44	42	42	43	50	53	49	63
6	62	--	54	44	44	40	42	43	51	53	59	63
7	62	--	53	44	44	41	42	43	51	53	58	63
8	62	--	53	44	44	41	42	43	51	54	60	63
9	62	--	52	44	44	42	42	43	51	53	60	62
10	63	60	52	45	44	42	42	43	52	53	61	63
11	62	60	51	45	44	--	42	43	53	53	61	63
12	62	60	51	45	44	41	42	44	52	54	61	63
13	62	59	51	45	44	41	42	44	52	54	62	63
14	62	59	50	45	43	41	42	45	52	55	62	63
15	61	59	50	45	43	41	42	45	53	55	62	63
16	61	59	50	44	43	41	42	46	53	55	62	63
17	61	59	50	44	43	40	42	46	53	55	62	63
18	62	59	49	44	43	40	42	46	53	55	62	63
19	61	59	49	44	43	40	42	46	53	55	62	63
20	61	59	49	44	42	40	42	46	53	58	62	63
21	61	58	49	44	42	40	42	46	53	58	62	63
22	61	57	49	44	42	40	42	47	53	53	62	63
23	61	57	48	--	42	40	42	47	53	58	62	--
24	62	56	48	44	42	41	42	47	54	58	62	64
25	62	56	48	44	42	41	42	47	54	58	--	64
26	--	56	47	44	42	41	42	47	54	58	63	64
27	62	56	47	44	42	41	42	47	54	58	63	64
28	61	56	47	44	42	41	42	47	53	58	63	63
29	61	56	45	44	--	41	43	48	53	59	63	62
30	--	55	45	43	--	41	43	48	53	59	63	62
31	--	--	44	44	--	41	--	48	--	59	63	--
Aver-age	62	--	50	44	43	41	42	45	52	55	61	63

## YAKIMA RIVER BASIN

## YAKIMA RIVER AT CLE ELUM, WASH.

LOCATION --At gaging station at highway bridge at Cle Elum, Kittitas County, just upstream from Roslyn Creek and 7 miles upstream from Teanaway River.  
 DRAINAGE AREA: 5,500 square miles; approximate.  
 RECORDS AVAILABLE --Chemical analyses: February 1910 to January 1911, December 1952 to September 1953.

WATER TEMPERATURES: December 1952 to September 1953.

EXTRIMES: 1952-53 --Dissolved solids: Maximum, 49 ppm Dec. 30-31, Jan. 1-10, minimum, 32 ppm Sept. 11-20, 21-30.

HARDNESS: Maximum, 33 ppm Dec. 30-31, Jan. 1-10; minimum, 21 ppm June 11-20.

SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE: Maximum daily, 80.8 micromhos Dec. 31; minimum daily, 45.4 micromhos Aug. 16.

WATER TEMPERATURES: Maximum observed, 61°F July 12, 18.  
 RECORDS --Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, December 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)										Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Percent calcium in non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or	
		Dissolved Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magn- esium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Tons Paris per mil- lion	Tons per square foot	Tons per day
Dec. 30-31, 1952																
Jan. 1-10, 1953	166	9.9	0.02	7.8	3.4	2.8	0.5	46	2.0	1.4	0.3	0.4	.01	49	0.07	22.0
Jan. 11-31, 1953	826	9.7	.05	6.8	2.1	3.0	.5	34	2.0	1.2	.2	.7	.01	42	.06	93.7
Feb. 1-28, 1953	1,083	9.9	.04	6.4	2.0	2.5	.5	32	2.0	1.2	.2	.7	.05	40	.06	57.9
Mar. 1-10, 1953	517	9.5	.02	7.8	2.3	2.2	.6	36	3.3	1.2	.1	.6	.01	46	.06	64.2
Mar. 11-20, 1953	531	9.2	.02	7.8	2.3	3.1	.7	40	2.2	1.2	.1	.4	.04	48	.07	68.8
Mar. 21-31, 1953	677	8.9	.02	7.6	2.3	2.2	.7	36	2.1	1.2	.1	.4	.06	46	.06	84.1
Apr. 1-10, 1953	1,288	7.8	.02	6.2	2.0	3.1	.7	34	1.7	1.0	.1	.4	--	37	.05	130
Apr. 11-20, 1953	1,549	7.8	.02	5.3	2.0	2.3	.4	28	2.0	1.0	.2	.4	.01	35	.05	145
Apr. 21-30, 1953	1,081	9.6	.03	6.4	2.2	2.8	.5	33	1.8	1.0	.2	.4	--	42	.06	123
May 1-10, 1953	884	11	.03	7.3	2.1	2.3	.4	37	2.1	1.2	.2	.4	--	46	.06	107
May 11-20, 1953	608	11	.03	7.3	2.3	2.8	.4	37	2.0	1.1	.2	.4	--	45	.06	73.9
May 21-31, 1953	688	10	.03	7.0	2.5	2.8	.4	38	1.7	1.9	.2	.4	--	44	.06	79.4
June 1-10, 1953	2,222	8.3	.02	6.6	2.1	2.2	.7	33	2.4	1.0	.1	.4	--	36	.05	218
June 11-20, 1953	4,277	7.2	.02	5.8	1.7	2.7	.7	28	3.1	1.2	.1	.5	.06	33	.04	381
June 21-30, 1953	2,102	7.2	.02	6.0	2.1	2.7	.7	30	4.0	.8	.1	.4	--	35	.05	199
July 1-10, 1953	2,560	6.7	.02	6.0	2.2	1.5	.7	30	2.7	.9	.1	.4	--	34	.05	235
July 11-20, 1953	2,395	7.1	.02	5.8	2.2	1.5	.4	29	1.8	1.1	.1	.3	.04	33	.04	213
July 21-31, 1953	2,825	7.0	.05	6.0	2.6	1.5	.2	30	2.2	1.4	.2	.5	--	33	.04	252
Aug. 1-10, 1953	2,850	7.2	.03	6.3	2.7	1.3	.2	28	1.9	1.5	.2	.6	--	33	.04	254
Aug. 11-20, 1953	2,885	6.9	.03	6.1	2.7	1.3	.2	28	1.9	1.5	.2	.6	.02	34	.04	263
Aug. 21-31, 1953	2,582	6.8	.02	6.6	2.7	1.3	.2	28	1.8	1.7	.2	.5	--	33	.04	230
Sept. 1-10, 1953	1,998	7.3	.02	5.7	2.6	1.3	.2	28	1.6	1.1	.2	.3	--	34	.04	183
Sept. 11-20, 1953	2,014	6.9	.02	6.0	2.4	1.5	.2	28	2.2	1.1	.1	.8	.02	32	.04	174
Sept. 21-30, 1953	1,865	7.3	.02	5.8	2.4	1.5	.2	28	2.1	.9	.1	.7	--	32	.04	161
Weighted average	a 1,568	7.8	.03	6.2	2.3	2.0	.4	30	2.2	1.2	.1	.5	--	36	.05	155

a Represents 93 percent of observed runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## YAKIMA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## YAKIMA RIVER AT CLE ELUM, WASH.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, December 1952 to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement taken at approximately 7 a. m.<sup>7</sup>

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	--	--	--	36	36	34	36	41	45	53	49	54
2	--	--	--	37	37	34	36	41	45	54	49	52
3	--	--	--	37	38	37	38	43	46	50	49	53
4	--	--	--	36	37	37	38	43	46	54	--	52
5	--	--	--	36	37	39	39	44	48	50	49	52
6	--	--	--	33	37	39	38	45	48	50	49	53
7	--	--	--	37	38	38	39	43	49	59	50	55
8	--	--	--	38	38	38	38	42	48	58	50	56
9	--	--	--	39	35	38	38	--	49	58	50	54
10	--	--	--	34	35	38	37	42	50	58	48	53
11	--	--	--	38	36	40	39	42	50	60	49	54
12	--	--	--	38	35	39	38	44	51	61	49	57
13	--	--	--	37	37	38	38	44	49	60	49	55
14	--	--	--	37	37	36	37	46	50	60	50	55
15	--	--	--	38	35	37	40	44	50	58	50	55
16	--	--	--	38	35	39	39	46	50	58	52	56
17	--	--	--	38	34	36	39	46	51	60	50	55
18	--	--	--	37	34	38	39	46	50	61	52	57
19	--	--	--	37	33	38	40	44	50	59	51	57
20	--	--	--	38	35	39	40	44	51	59	52	55
21	--	--	--	38	35	38	42	43	50	58	52	55
22	--	--	--	38	36	38	41	41	50	49	50	57
23	--	--	--	37	34	40	41	43	50	48	52	58
24	--	--	--	36	34	41	40	43	50	49	51	54
25	--	--	--	37	34	39	41	43	51	49	51	50
26	--	--	--	36	36	37	42	44	51	48	53	55
27	--	--	--	35	38	38	44	45	53	49	51	56
28	--	--	--	36	37	39	41	45	52	48	52	54
29	--	--	--	38	--	38	40	47	52	49	51	53
30	--	--	38	39	--	41	41	44	52	49	53	53
31	--	--	37	39	--	38	--	44	--	48	54	--
Average	--	--	--	37	36	38	39	44	50	54	51	54

## YAKIMA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## YAKIMA RIVER AT KIONA, WASH.

LOCATION.—At gaging station at highway bridge at Kiona, Benton County, 3½ miles downstream from intake of Kiona Canal and 25 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—~600 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1952 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum 236 ppm Sept. 11-20; minimum, 98 ppm June 11-20.

Hardness: Maximum, 145 ppm Sept. 11-20; 21-30; minimum, 58 ppm June 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 145 ppm Sept. 18; minimum daily, 123 micromhos Feb. 3.

Water temperature: Maximum observed 78°F July 18, Aug. 15.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, December 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluo- ride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)		Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non- carbon- aceous minerals	Per- cent so- dium	So- dium- adsorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or		
													Parts per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot								
Dec. 30-31, 1952,													2.15	0.29	978	124	0	28	0.9	339	7.7	
Jan. 1-9, 1953	1,684	33	0.03	30	12	23	3.6	171	22	7.9	0.2	4.0	0.29	0.18	2,150	74	0	25	.6	193	7.7	
Jan. 10-31, 1953	5,902	27	.22	17	7.6	12	2.8	96	12	4.2	.4	2.9	0.04	0.135	1.4	2,080	59	0	23	.5	152	7.8
Feb. 1-14	7,372	23	.12	14	5.9	8.4	1.8	78	8.0	3.2	.3	2.0	.04	0.105	1.0	1.28	74	0	26	.6	138	7.8
Feb. 15-28	7,375	25	.08	18	7.0	12	1.8	100	10	4.2	.3	1.6	.01	0.128	1.7	1.340	74	0	25	.6	216	7.8
Mar. 1-10	2,954	28	.02	20	7.8	13	2.1	114	12	4.5	.3	1.9	.01	0.130	1.9	1,110	82	0	25	.6	204	7.6
Mar. 11-20	3,020	24	.03	19	7.2	12	2.1	106	11	4.2	.3	1.6	.04	0.129	1.8	1,050	77	0	25	.6	204	7.6
Mar. 21-31	2,209	25	.03	21	8.1	14	2.0	122	13	5.2	.3	1.6	-.	0.147	.20	877	86	0	26	.7	231	7.5
Apr. 1-10	1,714	24	.03	23	8.9	16	2.4	134	15	5.4	.3	1.9	-.	0.157	.21	727	94	0	26	.7	254	7.9
Apr. 11-20	1,401	24	.03	28	16	20	2.6	157	20	6.6	.3	1.7	0.05	0.187	.25	707	111	0	28	.8	301	7.9
Apr. 21-26	2,754	24	.02	22	16	21	2.1	116	14	6.2	.3	1.8	-.	0.147	.20	1,080	88	0	25	.6	228	7.8
Apr. 27-30, May 1-3																						
May 4-7	5,124	23	.03	17	6.2	10	2.1	98	9.2	3.8	.3	1.5	-.	0.116	.16	1,600	68	0	24	.5	170	7.7
May 11-20	3,468	27	-.	24	8.7	14	2.8	122	--	4.8	-.	1.8	0.03	0.160	.22	1,500	96	0	23	.6	237	7.8
May 21-31	3,072	26	.02	24	8.2	14	2.8	136	14	5.0	.2	1.8	0.03	0.168	.21	1,280	94	0	24	.6	241	7.5
May 22-31	4,589	24	.03	21	7.7	12	2.2	108	13	4.4	.1	1.4	-.	0.138	.19	1,710	84	0	23	.6	207	7.9
June 1-10	5,717	26	.05	17	7.1	12	1.9	100	11	3.2	.1	1.3	-.	0.127	.17	1,980	70	0	26	.6	190	7.5
June 11-20	8,668	21	.05	14	5.6	6	1.8	175	8.9	2.8	.1	1.3	.03	0.13	.13	2,280	58	0	24	.5	147	7.6
June 21-30	3,613	26	.04	21	8.0	14	2.2	115	14	4.5	.1	1.2	-.	0.143	.19	1,390	85	0	26	.7	220	7.7
July 1-10	3,226	25	.04	22	8.3	15	2.2	120	15	4.8	.2	1.3	-.	0.146	.20	1,280	89	0	26	.7	232	7.4
July 11-20	2,201	27	.04	24	9.1	17	2.5	134	17	5.5	.2	1.5	0.05	0.167	.23	992	97	0	27	.9	261	7.6
July 21-31	1,595	34	.06	33	12	23	3.7	184	23	7.2	.3	1.7	-.	0.224	.30	956	132	0	27	.9	347	7.9
Aug. 1-10	1,796	34	.01	30	12	22	3.9	172	21	6.5	.3	2.3	-.	0.210	.29	1,020	124	0	27	.9	330	7.8
Aug. 11-20	1,512	29	.01	33	13	24	4.0	188	24	6.8	.3	2.2	0.06	0.219	.30	1,935	136	0	27	.9	352	7.8
Aug. 21-31	2,106	32	.02	30	12	22	4.0	174	22	6.8	.3	1.8	-.	0.206	.28	1,180	124	0	27	.9	327	7.9
Sept. 1-10	1,917	32	.02	33	13	25	4.0	186	23	7.5	.3	2.0	-.	0.220	.30	1,140	136	0	28	.9	350	7.9
Sept. 11-20	1,866	32	.02	35	14	25	4.3	200	25	8.0	.3	2.0	0.04	0.236	.32	1,060	145	0	27	.9	376	7.9
Sept. 21-30	1,639	32	.02	35	14	25	4.2	193	24	7.5	.3	2.2	-.	0.234	.32	1,070	145	0	27	.9	369	8.0
Weighted average	a 3,420	26	0.07	20	8.1	14	2.5	114	13	4.6	0.3	1.9	-.	0.144	0.20	1,330	83	0	26	0.7	220	---

a Represents 85 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## YAKIMA RIVER BASIN--Continued

## YAKIMA RIVER AT KIONA, WASH.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, December 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1			--	40	44	44	51	54	59	67	--	70
2			--	40	44	45	50	55	--	71	76	70
3			--	42	43	44	53	60	68	72	71	70
4			--	39	43	44	53	62	62	74	74	69
5			--	40	43	45	56	60	67	74	74	65
6			--	40	43	46	52	66	61	74	76	76
7			--	43	44	47	50	62	61	75	77	70
8			--	43	44	49	51	58	67	75	--	74
9			-	45	43	50	52	57	--	75	76	67
10			--	44	41	51	53	62	62	75	76	68
11			--	42	39	51	52	58	63	75	77	69
12			--	44	40	50	52	59	69	77	75	70
13			--	45	42	48	51	63	64	76	76	67
14			--	45	43	48	53	65	66	75	76	68
15			--	42	41	47	54	66	62	73	78	68
16			--	42	42	--	54	68	64	75	--	67
17			--	43	41	42	56	68	65	77	75	65
18			--	43	43	45	60	67	64	78	--	66
19			--	43	41	48	61	64	63	76	77	68
20			--	43	42	48	64	69	61	75	75	--
21			--	43	43	49	65	56	62	66	73	59
22			--	42	41	49	63	57	63	76	76	66
23			--	45	43	58	62	56	64	74	77	67
24			--	45	43	52	60	57	66	70	70	63
25			--	44	43	52	60	--	66	74	68	67
26			--	42	45	52	60	57	68	75	69	60
27			--	40	45	54	60	59	87	75	66	59
28			--	40	47	54	59	61	67	76	65	60
29			--	42	--	52	51	61	68	74	68	--
30			40	42	--	52	54	62	67	75	68	60
31			39	45	--	50	--	59	--	73	69	--
Average			--	43	43	49	56	61	64	74	73	67

## SNAKE RIVER BASIN

## PART 13. SNAKE RIVER BASIN

## SNAKE RIVER, MAIN STEM

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR HEISE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—At Eagle Rock canal headgate, 1½ miles upstream from Heise, Bonneville County, 1 5/8 miles downstream from Anderson canal headgate, 1½ miles downstream from gaging station, about 4½ miles east of Ririe, and about 21 miles upstream from Henry's Fork.

DRAING AREA.—5,732 square miles (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: January to September 1953.

Water temperature: January to September 1953.

EXTREME:—January to September 1953.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 353 ppm Feb. 1-28; March 1-10; minimum, 168 ppm June 21-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 271 ppm Mar. 1-10; minimum, 128 ppm July 21-31.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 609 micromhos Feb. 22; minimum daily, 255 micromhos June 24.

Water temperature: Maximum observed, 64°F Aug. 1.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Salt Lake City, Utah. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1287. About 2.5 percent of normal annual stream flow of 5,000,000 acre feet is diverted by Anderson canal between sampling point and gaging station. This diversion occurs during the months May to November except for leakage through the headgate. No other diversion or appreciable inflow between sampling point and gaging station except during periods of local rains.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, January to September 1953

Date of collection	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)										Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>			Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or or pH							
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cali- um (Ca)	Magni- esium (Mg)	Potas- sium (Na)	Sodium (Na)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bo- ron (B)	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per mil- lion	Percent calcium mag- nesium	Non- carbon- ate						
Jan. 8-31, 1953 ..	2,522	11	0.02	68	19	3.0	214	80	23	0.3	4.8	0.11	338	0.46	248	72	14	0.5	550	7.8	2	
Feb. 1-28 .....	2,341	11	.02	72	20	3.0	224	85	24	.3	4.2	.10	353	.48	262	78	14	.5	572	7.9	2	
Mar. 1-10 .....	2,235	12	.05	74	21	19	2.7	226	87	.26	.4	1.7	--	353	.48	262	86	13	.5	571	7.6	10
Mar. 11-20 .....	2,279	12	.06	73	21	19	2.7	224	84	.26	.3	1.4	.12	352	.48	268	85	13	.5	570	7.8	7
Mar. 21-31 .....	2,466	12	.12	66	21	19	2.7	220	81	.26	.4	1.2	--	342	.47	256	76	14	.5	557	8.0	5
Apr. 1-10 .....	3,075	11	.05	67	19	18	2.0	217	72	.24	.3	1.2	--	321	.44	245	67	14	.5	531	8.1	5
Apr. 11-20 .....	2,824	9.7	.05	70	20	19	2.3	220	75	.26	.4	1.5	.10	333	.45	256	76	14	.5	549	8.1	5
Apr. 21-30 .....	6,750	12	.06	55	14	12	1.7	184	48	14	.3	1.8	--	252	.34	4,590	195	44	12	420	7.7	5
May 1-10 .....	6,511	10	.03	56	14	12	1.6	183	48	12	.3	1.2	--	248	.34	4,360	197	47	12	411	7.9	5
May 11-20 .....	8,566	12	.03	51	13	11	1.6	170	41	11	.3	1.4	.10	229	.31	5,300	181	41	12	381	7.5	5
May 21-31 .....	9,699	10	.03	50	12	9.1	1.6	169	38	10	.4	1.4	--	218	.30	5,710	174	36	10	365	7.6	8
June 1-10 .....	13,500	10	.04	46	12	7.4	1.1	158	32	7.5	.4	1.4	--	198	.27	7,220	164	35	9	330	7.7	8
June 11-20 .....	22,930	11	.04	47	8.4	5.3	1.4	164	24	5.0	.3	1.4	.02	188	.26	11,640	192	17	.2	311	7.5	8
June 21-30 .....	19,500	12	.02	41	8.1	6.7	1.7	137	28	6.0	.3	1.1	--	168	.23	8,850	136	23	10	281	7.4	6
July 1-10 .....	15,160	11	.02	38	8.5	7.0	1.8	129	30	7.0	.3	1.3	--	165	.23	6,920	130	24	10	284	7.3	7
July 11-20 .....	12,540	13	.02	39	8.7	8.2	1.7	131	34	8.0	.4	9	.04	177	.24	5,990	133	26	12	292	7.3	6
July 21-31 .....	11,880	14	.02	37	8.7	8.1	2.4	123	35	8.8	.5	8	--	176	.24	5,650	128	23	14	.287	7.4	7

Aug. 1-7, 9-10, 1953.....	10,600	14	.02	39	9.0	10	2.3	131	36	9.5	.5	.3	--	183	.25	5,240	134	27	14	.4	305	7.5	5
6,080	--	--	--	38	10	11	2.2	135	33	8.9	.6	.7	--	254	.35	4,170	190	43	--	--	417	7.7	--
9,691	14	.05	--	41	10	11	2.2	136	38	9.6	.6	.6	--	184	.25	4,810	136	25	15	.4	310	7.2	7
8,346	14	.03	--	41	11	12	2.2	138	40	10	.6	.6	--	191	.26	4,310	143	32	14	.4	323	7.3	7
7,717	14	.03	--	39	10	12	2.2	132	38	10	.6	.6	--	196	.27	4,980	146	34	15	.4	310	7.3	7
7,845	15	.03	--	43	12	12	2.2	146	45	11	.6	.7	.10	191	.26	4,950	138	30	16	.4	320	7.4	9
6,100	13	.03	--	47	11	10	1.9	156	40	10	0.4	1.3	--	211	0.29	4,410	162	34	12	0.3	311	--	--
Weighted average	b7,736	12	0.03	47	11	10	1.9	156	40	10	0.4	1.3	--	211	0.29	4,410	162	34	12	0.3	311	--	--

a Not included for computation of weighted averages.

b Represents 88 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## SNAKE RIVER BASIN

## SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR HEISE, IDAHO--Continued

Temperature (° F) of water, January to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1				--	37	38	42	41	49	55	64	58
2				--	37	34	40	43	49	55	63	56
3				--	37	33	40	44	--	56	60	54
4				--	38	35	41	46	48	56	61	51
5				--	37	35	43	46	48	57	60	54
6				--	37	35	40	48	47	57	59	55
7				--	38	36	41	50	48	57	60	56
8				35	38	38	39	46	48	58	62	56
9				36	35	37	40	44	48	57	60	57
10				38	34	40	40	43	51	59	61	57
11				38	32	40	40	43	55	58	60	56
12				39	32	41	40	43	54	59	61	56
13				41	33	39	40	45	52	60	60	56
14				40	32	38	41	46	55	61	60	57
15				35	32	37	39	48	54	61	60	54
16				36	37	37	43	48	55	59	60	57
17				36	34	39	45	49	55	59	61	57
18				37	34	37	44	47	56	58	60	54
19				38	32	38	44	48	56	59	58	53
20				38	31	38	44	45	53	60	59	53
21				39	31	38	47	45	52	59	61	53
22				36	32	37	48	43	54	59	60	55
23				37	32	38	49	44	55	60	60	55
24				35	31	39	45	44	55	60	60	53
25				36	36	42	45	43	54	61	57	52
26				35	36	42	46	48	53	62	58	51
27				34	34	43	47	50	52	62	59	51
28				35	36	45	45	50	54	62	58	51
29				34	--	45	42	48	53	63	58	52
30				36	--	43	42	45	55	61	58	52
31				36	--	44	--	46	--	--	58	--
Average				--	34	39	43	46	52	59	60	54

SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued  
SNAKE RIVER AT KING HILL, IDAHO

LOCATION.—At county highway bridge about 400 yards downstream from gaging station, which is 300 feet east of railroad station at King Hill, Elmore County, and 20 miles downstream from Malad (Big Wood) River.

DRAINEAGE AREA.—35,800 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: March 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: March 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved Solids: Maximum, 356 ppm Nov. 11-20, minimum, 266 ppm Apr. 1-10.

Hardness: Maximum, 213 ppm Dec. 1-10; minimum, 184 ppm Apr. 21-30.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 594 micromhos Oct. 3; minimum observed, 452 micromhos Jan. 20.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 70° F July 12-13; minimum observed, 45° F Dec. 26, Feb. 20-21, Mar. 2.

EXTREMES, 1951-52.—Dissolved Solids: Maximum, 359 ppm Sept. 1-10, 1952; minimum, 252 ppm May 1-10, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 213 ppm Dec. 1-10, 1952; minimum, 166 ppm May 1-10, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 594 micromhos Oct. 3, 1952; minimum daily, 394 micromhos May 7, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 70° F July 12-13, 1952; minimum observed, 41° F Jan. 3-6, Feb. 15, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Oreg. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1287.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)												
	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Carbo-nate ( $\text{CO}_3$ )	Sul-fate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chlor-ide (Cl)	Fluo-ride (F)	Ni-trate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bo-ron (B)	Parts per mil-lion	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per mil-lion	Tons per acre-foot	Parts per mil-lion	Tons per acre-foot	Non-carbon-ate	Per-cent-sodium	So-dium ad-sorp-tion ratio	Specific con-ductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)
Oct. 1-10, 1952	10,420	34	47	22	37	5.2	224	60	30	4.1	--	347	0.47	9,760	208	24	27	1.1	5.97	--			
Oct. 11-20	10,910	36	48	22	37	5.0	228	60	28	4.1	0.16	348	0.47	10,250	210	24	27	1.1	5.49	--			
Oct. 21-31	9,875	35	48	22	36	5.0	226	59	28	4.1	--	347	0.47	9,250	210	26	27	1.1	5.46	--			
Nov. 1-10	9,146	38	47	23	36	5.0	226	60	28	4.1	--	352	0.48	8,690	212	27	26	1.1	5.50	--			
Nov. 11-20	9,353	39	48	22	36	5.0	227	60	30	4.1	--	358	0.49	9,040	206	20	27	1.1	5.54	--			
Nov. 21-30	8,911	35	48	22	36	4.7	224	61	25	2.8	--	357	0.49	8,590	210	27	27	1.1	5.54	8.1			
Dec. 1-10	9,115	33	49	22	37	4.8	226	62	28	2.7	--	355	0.48	8,740	213	28	27	1.1	5.58	8.2			
Dec. 11-20	9,571	34	46	22	36	4.8	222	60	29	3.1	--	351	0.48	9,070	206	24	27	1.1	5.56	7.9			
Dec. 21-31	10,120	31	48	22	36	4.8	222	59	30	3.0	--	347	0.47	9,480	210	28	27	1.1	5.51	7.9			
Jan. 1-31, 1953	10,990	35	46	20	33	4.0	212	57	28	3.7	.10	331	0.45	9,820	197	23	26	1.0	5.26	7.8			
Feb. 1-28	12,010	32	49	21	32	4.0	212	59	28	2.7	--	330	0.45	10,700	209	35	25	1.0	5.27	7.8			
Mar. 1-10	12,490	32	49	20	30	4.5	213	57	28	2.4	--	322	0.44	10,980	204	30	24	.9	5.20	--			
Mar. 11-20	13,370	31	48	20	30	4.5	211	55	28	2.6	--	316	0.43	11,410	202	29	24	.9	5.10	--			
Mar. 21-31	13,510	31	49	20	30	4.5	211	52	28	2.6	--	313	0.43	11,420	204	31	24	.9	5.08	--			
Apr. 1-10	13,160	29	45	19	29	4.2	202	48	26	2.4	--	296	.40	10,520	190	25	24	.9	4.84	--			
Apr. 11-20	11,000	32	47	19	30	4.5	203	53	29	2.3	.13	309	.42	9,180	206	29	24	.9	5.02	--			
Apr. 21-30	8,337	34	44	19	30	4.5	198	51	28	2.4	--	302	.41	6,800	188	25	25	.9	4.85	--			
May 1-10	8,536	34	44	20	32	4.5	201	54	29	2.9	--	308	.42	7,100	192	28	26	1.0	4.96	--			
May 11-20	7,826	35	45	21	34	3.4	208	56	28	2.7	--	324	.44	6,850	199	28	27	1.1	5.15	--			
May 21-31	9,102	35	45	20	34	3.8	208	57	27	2.9	--	326	.44	6,010	194	24	27	1.1	5.21	--			

## SNAKE RIVER BASIN

SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM--Cont inued

## SNAKE RIVER AT KING HILL, IDAHO--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Dissolved solids (residue at 180° C)												Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	
	Mean dis- charge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Ca- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Po- tas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Car- bonate (CO <sub>3</sub> )	Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Fluo- ride (F)		
June 1-10, 1953	12,270	34	21	34	3.8	210	58	28	2.7	--	327	0.44	10,830	
June 11-20	19,440	27	48	18	3.2	201	52	26	1.8	--	305	.41	16,010	
June 21-30	11,210	33	48	19	4.3	208	54	26	2.2	--	315	.43	9,530	
July 1-10	8,062	36	46	19	3.2	4.3	54	26	2.8	--	316	.43	6,980	
July 11-20	7,835	39	47	20	3.4	211	57	28	3.2	0.08	328	.45	6,940	
July 21-31	7,919	38	47	21	3.4	4.6	213	58	28	3.1	--	330	.45	7,060
AUG. 1-10	8,408	44	47	21	3.5	4.7	220	58	27	2.7	--	339	.46	7,700
Aug. 11-20	8,326	42	47	22	3.5	4.7	220	58	28	2.7	--	337	.46	7,980
Aug. 21-31	4,3	47	47	22	3.7	4.6	221	59	28	2.9	--	346	.47	7,850
Sept. 1-10	9,007	38	47	22	3.7	4.6	220	60	28	2.9	--	337	.46	8,200
Sept. 11-20	9,002	37	47	22	3.7	4.6	222	60	27	3.0	--	336	.46	8,170
Sept. 21-30	8,894	41	47	22	3.8	4.6	224	61	28	3.8	--	350	.48	8,400
Weighted average.	10,330	34	47	21	3.3	4.4	214	57	28	3.0	--	330	0.45	9,200
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## SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## SNAKE RIVER AT KING HILL, IDAHO--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement at 11:50 a. m./

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	61	55	47	48	51	47	52	55	61	66	67	63
2	60	54	47	--	51	45	51	55	59	66	67	63
3	61	54	49	48	52	46	52	56	60	66	67	62
4	60	54	48	48	51	47	53	57	61	66	65	62
5	60	54	48	48	50	48	53	58	60	66	65	62
6	60	54	48	48	50	49	51	60	60	68	66	--
7	60	53	49	48	50	50	49	60	60	68	66	64
8	61	53	49	48	49	50	49	59	61	68	66	63
9	60	53	49	50	50	51	50	57	61	68	66	63
10	60	53	49	50	47	51	50	55	63	69	65	63
11	59	53	50	50	48	50	51	55	64	69	65	63
12	59	51	51	51	48	51	50	55	64	70	65	--
13	59	52	51	50	48	50	50	57	63	70	65	63
14	57	53	51	49	48	49	50	59	63	69	66	--
15	57	53	51	49	47	49	53	60	63	69	67	64
16	57	52	51	49	48	50	54	61	63	68	67	64
17	58	51	50	50	48	49	53	61	64	66	67	62
18	58	52	50	49	46	49	55	62	64	67	66	62
19	58	51	51	49	46	49	55	60	63	67	68	62
20	58	51	51	50	45	49	57	60	62	66	66	61
21	58	50	49	--	45	48	58	59	62	66	65	62
22	58	48	--	49	46	49	59	58	65	65	65	62
23	58	50	48	49	46	50	58	58	65	65	65	61
24	58	49	47	50	46	51	--	57	63	65	65	60
25	58	48	47	51	46	52	60	58	63	66	64	60
26	58	--	45	50	47	51	60	58	64	66	64	60
27	57	48	46	49	48	53	59	58	64	67	64	60
28	57	47	47	50	49	53	57	59	64	63	63	60
29	56	46	48	50	--	53	58	58	65	67	63	60
30	56	47	48	50	--	53	56	60	65	68	63	60
31	55	--	49	51	--	52	--	--	--	67	63	--
Aver-age	58	51	49	49	48	50	54	58	63	67	65	62

## SNAKE RIVER BASIN

## BOISE RIVER BASIN

## BOISE RIVER AT NOTUS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—At steel county highway bridge, 360 yards downstream from gaging station which is a quarter of a mile southeast of Notus, Canyon County, and 7 miles northwest of Caldwell.

DRAING AREA.—3,820 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: January 1939 to January 1940, November 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: November 1950 to June 1953.

Sediment records: January 1939 to June 1940.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 495 ppm Nov. 11-20; minimum, 35 ppm June 11-20, 21-26.

Hardness: Maximum, 196 ppm Nov. 11-20; minimum, 35 ppm June 11-20, 21-26.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 880 micromhos Aug. 22; minimum daily, 101 micromhos June 23-24.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 80°F July 13-14; minimum observed 70°F Dec. 25-27.

EXTREMES 1939-40, 1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 914 ppm Aug. 21-31, 1939; minimum, 77 ppm May 1-10, 1952, June 11-20, 1953.

Hardness: Maximum, 35 ppm July 1, 1939; minimum, 35 ppm June 11-20, 21-26, 1953.

Specific conductance: Maximum, 1,390 micromhos Aug. 21-31, 1939; minimum, 81 micromhos Apr. 27, 1952.

Water temperatures (1950-53): Maximum observed, 85°F on several days during summer months; minimum observed, 35°F Jan. 18, Dec. 25-27, 1952.

Sediment loads (1939-40): Maximum, 8,000 tons Apr. 2, 1939; minimum, 0.3 ton Aug. 3, 1939.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Oreg. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1287.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3^-$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium-magnesium	Percent sodium-non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH	Col- or	
													Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day							
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	382	37	4.1	13	75	4.3	245	81	22	.27	.18	--	391	0.53	403	156	0	50	2.6	594	--	
Oct. 11-20 .....	530	37	4.5	14	81	4.5	265	91	24	2.4	.18	.425	608	1.70	0	50	2.7	651	--	681	--	
Oct. 21-31 .....	820	38	51	16	81	4.8	284	96	22	1.9	.19	.446	61	987	183	0	47	2.5	673	--	693	--
Nov. 1-10 .....	792	35	49	16	81	4.8	290	95	22	1.9	.19	.438	60	937	186	0	48	2.6	683	--	703	--
Nov. 11-20 .....	732	36	52	16	82	5.2	283	100	24	2.3	.19	.454	.62	897	196	0	47	2.6	693	--	713	--
Nov. 21-30 .....	677	37	52	15	85	4.5	286	97	32	1.4	--	.459	.62	639	191	0	48	2.7	697	7.5	735	--
Dec. 1-10 .....	697	35	61	15	81	4.5	276	93	31	.6	--	.442	.60	832	188	0	48	2.6	689	7.4	725	--
Dec. 11-20 .....	696	35	49	15	78	4.5	266	90	28	.2	--	.424	.58	797	184	0	47	2.5	646	7.3	714	--
Dec. 21-31 .....	640	34	50	15	78	3.7	262	93	30	1.2	--	.430	.58	743	186	0	47	2.5	639	7.4	705	--
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ..	630	34	48	14	76	3.7	246	92	28	3.7	--	.418	.57	711	175	0	48	2.5	632	7.5	695	--
Jan. 11-17 .....	780	35	42	13	56	3.2	212	79	18	4.7	.09	.362	.49	762	156	0	43	1.9	551	7.8	644	--
Jan. 18-22 .....	1,662	28	8.5	3.5	138	5.0	11	3.0	5	3.0	--	248	.34	1,250	105	0	43	1.5	587	7.5	644	--
Jan. 23-31 .....	976	33	39	12	52	3.0	194	71	16	6.0	--	328	.45	884	147	0	43	1.9	484	7.9	644	--
Feb. 1-9 .....	1,194	29	34	8.5	44	3.0	168	60	14	5.6	--	290	.39	935	120	0	44	1.7	434	7.6	636	--
Feb. 10-28 .....	925	29	40	11	52	3.0	192	71	17	5.6	--	331	.45	827	145	0	43	1.9	503	7.6	626	--
Mar. 1-8 .....	775	31	45	13	58	3.1	211	83	18	4.7	--	350	.48	732	161	0	43	2.0	539	--	599	--
Mar. 9-11 .....	1,065	22	33	4.5	58	3.1	211	83	18	4.7	--	350	.48	732	161	0	43	2.0	539	1.3	599	--
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a Sum of determined constituents.

Mar. 12-20, 1953	2,777	20	4.9	18	90	24	5.8	0	36	1.0	215	
Mar. 21-28,.....	2,836	19	5.0	19	90	24	6.0	0	37	1.0	215	
Mar. 29-31,.....	3,770	18	4.5	12	1.5	74	20	4.8	2.1	--	171	
APR. 1-10,.....	1,790	21	6.4	18	1.8	94	27	7.5	2.1	--	141	
APR. 11-20,.....	490	23	4.2	85	2.7	132	37	9.0	2.3	.08	140	
APR. 21-30,.....	877	22	5.7	27	2.6	114	32	8.8	2.3	--	145	
MAY 1-10,.....	871	22	6.2	30	2.6	123	35	9.2	2.4	--	161	
MAY 11-20,.....	1,008	20	6.5	27	2.6	112	31	8.0	2.3	--	158	
MAY 21-31,.....	4,991	17	3.7	13	1.5	71	15	4.1	2.6	--	110	
JUNE 1-10,.....	6,647	15	3.1	11	1.3	61	12	3.2	2.1	--	94	
JUNE 11-20,.....	6,760	14	2.4	8.8	.9	50	8.7	2.6	1.2	--	77	
JUNE 21-26,.....	6,400	13	1.9	8.6	1.4	50	12	2.5	1.3	--	80	
JUNE 27-30,.....	1,748	17	4.6	20	2.3	90	38	6.5	2.4	--	140	
JULY 1-10,.....	1,654	16	4.5	20	2.3	91	20	5.7	2.2	--	134	
JULY 11-20,.....	580	25	28	7.6	4.0	152	43	11	2.4	.09	363	
JULY 21-31,.....	355	31	9.7	51	4.0	192	59	15	2.8	--	232	
AUG. 1-10,.....	288	33	11	60	4.1	208	68	17	2.8	--	304	
AUG. 11-20,.....	87.4	35	46	15	4.7	275	120	32	2.9	--	45	
AUG. 21-31,.....	163	39	48	15	88	4.5	210	29	2.7	--	465	
Sept. 1-10,.....	212	37	45	13	76	4.5	210	110	2.7	--	467	
Sept. 11-20,.....	418	34	43	13	61	4.5	228	77	20	2.8	--	406
Sept. 21-30,.....	435	34	43	13	65	4.5	232	79	20	2.7	--	364
Weighted Average	1,402	21	23	6.4	29	2.2	118	36	9.3	2.3	--	190
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a Sum of determined constituents.

## SNAKE RIVER BASIN

## BOISE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## BOISE RIVER AT NOTUS, IDAHO--Continued

Temperatuuae (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	62	50	38	40	47	46	51	62	58	70	77	70
2	62	48	39	40	47	46	51	62	59	70	72	69
3	62	48	40	--	47	46	51	68	60	71	71	70
4	62	54	41	39	47	47	48	68	59	72	74	71
5	62	52	41	39	46	47	48	69	59	72	76	71
6	62	49	41	39	45	48	45	69	57	72	77	70
7	63	48	41	42	48	48	45	64	55	75	79	71
8	63	45	42	42	43	49	44	64	60	75	77	71
9	63	45	41	46	43	49	44	64	61	75	75	72
10	63	45	43	46	45	49	44	64	60	75	75	70
11	63	45	43	46	45	49	45	64	62	78	75	70
12	62	46	41	46	47	40	45	64	60	75	78	70
13	62	45	41	45	47	40	44	64	60	80	76	70
14	60	45	41	45	47	40	44	68	60	80	77	72
15	60	45	41	43	42	40	54	66	60	76	79	72
16	60	46	41	43	42	41	56	66	62	75	78	73
17	60	46	41	43	40	41	62	67	64	76	78	66
18	60	44	42	45	40	41	62	65	62	77	79	67
19	60	44	42	45	39	44	64	65	62	77	79	68
20	58	44	44	45	45	44	64	65	62	73	78	67
21	58	44	44	45	45	44	62	65	65	75	76	66
22	57	44	40	45	46	46	65	63	65	75	74	65
23	69	38	39	45	46	46	65	65	62	76	74	65
24	65	38	37	45	47	48	65	56	61	75	68	65
25	65	38	35	45	47	48	65	55	62	75	69	64
26	60	40	35	44	47	50	67	52	65	76	65	65
27	60	40	35	45	47	50	67	58	66	76	70	66
28	55	39	36	45	47	50	62	55	66	77	70	60
29	55	38	36	45	--	50	61	54	70	77	69	60
30	55	38	36	47	--	50	62	60	70	77	71	65
31	50	--	39	47	--	51	--	60	--	76	70	--
Aver-age	61	44	40	44	45	46	55	63	62	75	74	68

## SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR CLARKSTON, WASH.

LOCATION.—One mile downstream from gaging station, 1 mile upstream from Alpaca Creek, 8 miles downstream from Clarkston, Asotin County, and 133 miles upstream from mouth.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—103,200 square miles, approximately (above gaging station).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: November 1951 to September 1953.  
 Water temperatures: November 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 312 ppm. Oct. 21-31; minimum, .96 ppm June 24-30.

Hardness: Maximum, 168 ppm Sept. 21-30; minimum, 53 ppm June 1-10.  
 Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 529 micromhos Nov. 30, Dec. 3; minimum daily, 133 micromhos May 21.

Water temperature: Maximum observed, 72° F Aug. 7, 8°; minimum observed, 34° F Nov. 29-30.

EXTRMEs, 1951-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 312 ppm Oct. 21-31, 1952; minimum, .96 ppm May 21-31, 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 168 ppm Sept. 21-30, 1953; minimum, 51 ppm June 1-10, 1952.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 529 micromhos Nov. 30, Dec. 3, 1952; minimum daily, 118 micromhos May 28, 1952.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 73° F Aug. 8-11, 14, 1952; minimum observed, freezing point Jan. 14, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore. Discharge records for gaging station near Clarkston for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1287. No appreciable inflow between gaging and sampling point except during periods of heavy local rains.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (resistivity at 18°C)										Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or										
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cali- um (Ca)	Mg- ne- sium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Fluo- ri- de (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Bor- on (B)	Tons per acre- foot	Tons per day										
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	21,880	35	0.09	39	15	35	3.9	217	47	15	0.6	1.8	0.41	18,030	1.2	459	8.0	5					
Oct. 11-20 .....	22,260	34	.07	39	16	37	3.9	211	52	18	.6	2.5	0.13	305	285	1.3	479	7.6	5				
Oct. 21-31 .....	22,170	32	.04	39	16	37	4.5	205	53	18	.5	2.1	--	312	.42	18,680	0	32	1.3	472	8.2	8	
Nov. 1-30 .....	20,670	30	.04	40	16	36	4.5	204	54	19	.5	2.1	.11	310	.42	17,300	166	0	31	1.2	472	7.9	8
Dec. 1-31 .....	20,960	35	.03	39	15	37	4.5	192	56	19	.6	2.9	.10	300	.41	16,980	159	2	33	1.3	474	8.0	5
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ..	26,120	33	.02	39	15	35	4.5	190	53	20	.6	3.0	.91	304	.40	18,170	159	3	32	1.2	463	7.8	5
Jan. 11-31 .....	48,680	28	.13	26	9.9	21	3.2	123	31	12	.5	2.9	.06	197	.27	25,870	106	5	29	.9	301	7.7	25
Feb. 1-10 .....	58,080	27	.17	22	9.1	17	3.0	108	26	9.5	.5	1.7	--	173	.24	27,110	92	4	28	.8	256	7.7	25
Feb. 11-28 .....	35,200	28	.09	29	11	24	3.0	142	36	14	.5	2.0	.09	218	.30	20,720	118	1	30	1.0	340	7.8	15
Mar. 1-10 .....	32,450	28	.10	31	12	24	2.6	142	38	15	.5	1.9	--	229	.31	20,060	127	10	29	.9	332	7.5	10
Mar. 11-20 .....	39,350	25	.09	29	11	22	2.8	130	37	14	.5	1.6	.10	210	.29	22,310	118	11	28	.9	330	7.4	10
Mar. 21-31 .....	52,220	27	.23	26	10	19	2.3	116	31	11	.5	1.3	--	188	.26	26,510	106	11	27	.8	263	7.3	20
Apr. 1-10 .....	50,910	24	.11	24	9.3	17	2.3	108	28	10	.5	1.0	--	173	.24	23,780	98	10	27	.7	266	7.6	20
Apr. 11-22 .....	48,080	24	.11	23	9.1	17	2.3	108	28	10	.5	.8	.08	170	.23	22,070	95	6	27	.8	261	7.3	15
Apr. 24-30 .....	112,060	21	.28	14	5.6	9.3	1.5	64	23	5.5	.5	.7	--	113	.15	34,170	58	6	25	.5	153	7.4	25
May 1-10 .....	98,860	19	.20	15	5.7	11	1.9	68	17	5.9	.5	.5	--	117	.16	29,650	61	5	27	.6	168	7.4	25
May 11-20 .....	98,740	20	.05	15	4.6	12	1.5	72	18	5.8	.2	.8	.10	112	.15	28,350	56	0	31	.7	166	7.4	20
May 21-31 .....	115,860	21	.06	16	4.9	13	1.5	72	19	5.2	.3	.7	--	116	.16	36,270	56	0	32	.7	171	7.6	20

## SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR CLARKSTON, WASH.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Chloride (Cl)	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Fluoride (F)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)		Soil-adsorption ratio	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH						
											Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day								
June 1-10, 1953	168,100	19	0.11	14	4.5	12	1.6	.68	18	5.2	0.3	0.8	--	109	470	53	0.7	158	7.5	20	
June 11-20	165,400	18	.06	17	4.6	11	1.6	.72	17	5.0	.3	.8	.09	111	.15	68,460	61	2	166	7.3	20
June 21-23 a	165,300	--	--	--	--	--	--	105	35	5.0	--	1.9	--	--	--	--	--	--	226	7.5	--
June 24-30	119,400	14	.03	15	4.1	10	1.6	.66	16	5.0	.3	.8	--	96	.13	30,950	54	0	28	.6	150
July 1-10	93,300	13	.03	15	4.3	11	1.6	.71	17	5.2	.2	.6	--	99	.13	24,940	55	0	29	.6	159
July 11-20	58,840	16	.07	17	5.3	12	2.0	.78	18	6.5	.3	.6	--	113	.15	17,950	64	0	28	.7	176
July 21-31	32,900	21	.07	22	7.8	20	2.7	.10	.4	.6	.08	.08	--	153	.22	14,980	87	0	32	.9	262
Aug. 1-10	27,650	26	.02	28	10	27	3.4	.38	37	13	.4	.9	--	208	.28	15,530	111	0	34	1.1	328
Aug. 11-20	23,250	33	.03	33	12	30	4.3	.170	37	14	.4	1.0	.10	242	.33	15,180	132	0	32	1.1	376
Aug. 21-31	22,270	30	.02	34	12	32	4.3	.180	40	14	.5	1.3	--	253	.34	15,210	134	0	33	1.2	392
Sert. 1-10	22,260	33	.03	37	14	35	4.2	.189	43	14	.5	1.5	--	265	.36	15,930	150	0	33	1.2	420
Sept. 11-20	21,510	32	.03	38	15	37	4.2	.191	49	16	.6	1.5	.10	277	.38	16,090	156	0	33	1.3	439
Sept. 21-30	21,800	35	.03	41	16	36	4.3	.215	46	15	.5	1.9	--	253	.40	17,150	168	0	32	1.3	464
Weighted average	52,090	23	0.09	25	8.0	18	2.4	107	28	9.3	0.4	1.2	--	166	0.23	25,000	95	8	28	0.8	253
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a Not included for computation of weighted averages.

## SNAKE RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR CLARKSTON, WASH.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953  
*/Once-daily measurement at approximately 8 a.m./*

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	58	51	35	37	45	42	49	50	56	61	70	65
2	62	48	36	38	45	42	47	50	56	61	68	65
3	61	48	37	38	45	41	49	50	56	62	70	65
4	61	45	37	39	45	43	48	52	56	63	70	64
5	58	46	37	39	45	42	49	54	55	64	--	64
6	57	--	37	39	45	42	50	56	55	64	71	64
7	57	44	39	40	45	44	50	56	55	65	72	64
8	57	42	39	40	44	46	50	55	55	61	72	65
9	58	42	37	42	42	44	50	53	55	61	71	66
10	57	45	39	42	42	47	47	51	55	66	70	64
11	58	47	38	42	43	47	48	53	57	67	70	66
12	56	44	39	42	42	46	48	53	57	69	71	68
13	60	47	39	42	43	47	48	54	57	70	70	67
14	52	46	39	43	42	45	49	54	57	70	70	67
15	52	44	38	42	42	46	48	55	57	70	69	67
16	53	44	40	43	43	47	50	56	56	69	71	66
17	53	45	40	42	42	46	52	57	58	70	70	65
18	56	44	39	42	43	45	52	56	58	--	69	65
19	55	44	39	43	41	45	50	56	58	70	70	65
20	53	45	39	43	41	45	49	55	57	69	71	60
21	51	44	40	43	43	45	51	54	57	69	70	60
22	55	40	36	44	39	47	50	53	58	69	67	61
23	55	40	39	43	39	45	50	53	58	69	69	62
24	56	40	37	44	39	47	52	53	59	67	66	60
25	51	39	36	45	40	49	50	52	59	69	66	56
26	51	38	36	44	42	48	56	53	59	67	66	59
27	52	37	36	43	45	49	50	54	59	68	67	59
28	50	36	36	41	45	49	49	54	60	68	67	61
29	52	34	37	42	--	50	51	56	59	69	66	57
30	51	34	37	43	--	49	50	55	60	69	70	57
31	52	--	38	43	--	49	--	55	--	70	65	--
Average	55	43	38	42	43	45	50	54	57	67	69	63

## PART 14. PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN OREGON AND LOWER COLUMBIA RIVER BASIN

## JOHN DAY RIVER BASIN

## SOUTH FORK JOHN DAY RIVER NEAR DAYVILLE, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gauging station, 0.7 mile downstream from Smoky Creek, and 3 miles south of Dayville, Grant County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--350 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE:--October 1951 to September 1953.

WATER TEMPERATURES:--Maximum, 76°F; July 12; minimum, not determined, probably occurred during period of no record.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 77°F July 10, 11, 27, 1952; minimum, freezing point many days in December 1951, January and February 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1953 to September 1953.

Day	October			November			December			January			February			March			April			May			June			July			August			September		
	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min				
1.....	60	53	44	42	39	36	42	39	36	42	39	44	42	39	44	42	51	49	64	55	68	58	68	59	68	59	68	59	68	59	68					
2.....	60	53	42	39	36	34	42	41	36	34	44	42	42	41	44	42	53	50	63	57	68	59	65	59	67	60	67	60	67	60	67					
3.....	59	53	41	38	36	34	42	41	39	34	44	42	42	41	44	42	52	49	53	49	67	58	67	57	67	56	67	56	67	56	67					
4.....	59	52	41	38	36	34	41	40	40	37	46	43	45	48	46	48	52	48	52	49	67	58	67	57	67	56	67	56	67	56	67					
5.....	57	50	41	39	36	34	40	39	42	38	48	46	45	48	46	48	53	46	50	53	52	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60				
6.....	56	50	41	38	36	34	39	42	38	47	41	45	41	45	40	48	50	50	52	50	53	52	52	51	52	51	52	51	52	51	52	51	52			
7.....	56	50	41	37	35	33	40	39	43	38	41	39	39	40	39	41	39	40	42	44	42	42	41	42	41	42	41	42	41	42	41	42				
8.....	55	50	39	37	35	33	38	40	39	42	38	44	39	40	38	44	39	40	42	44	42	42	41	42	41	42	41	42	41	42	41	42				
9.....	56	51	38	36	34	32	38	36	44	41	41	38	41	41	38	44	41	41	38	44	42	42	41	42	41	42	41	42	41	42	41	42				
10.....	56	51	41	36	34	32	36	34	43	41	41	39	41	41	39	41	41	39	46	41	53	48	53	48	53	48	53	48	53	48	53	48				
11.....	56	51	43	41	39	37	36	42	41	41	41	39	42	41	41	42	41	41	49	42	57	52	52	57	52	52	57	52	52	57	52	52				
12.....	55	50	43	41	39	37	36	42	41	40	42	39	42	40	42	39	42	39	55	47	54	47	54	47	54	47	54	47	54	47	54	47				
13.....	54	49	43	40	38	36	41	39	41	39	40	37	40	39	40	37	45	39	55	47	57	51	51	57	51	51	57	51	51	57	51	51				
14.....	52	46	40	39	37	35	41	39	40	37	40	37	40	39	40	37	45	39	55	47	57	51	51	57	51	51	57	51	51	57	51	51				
15.....	50	44	40	38	36	34	39	38	41	38	39	45	40	38	45	40	38	45	40	53	47	57	53	51	57	53	51	57	53	51	57	53				
16.....	51	45	39	36	34	32	39	38	36	37	39	46	45	39	46	45	39	46	45	53	50	56	51	51	57	50	51	57	50	51	57	50				
17.....	52	46	37	35	33	31	40	39	38	36	41	37	41	36	41	37	41	36	44	44	57	51	52	57	51	52	57	51	52	57	51	52				
18.....	52	48	37	35	33	31	40	39	38	36	41	38	41	38	41	38	41	38	45	42	55	52	50	55	52	50	55	52	50	55	52	50				
19.....	55	51	--	--	--	--	39	39	38	36	39	39	38	39	38	39	37	53	47	54	50	56	51	51	57	51	51	57	51	51	57	51	51			
20.....	54	50	--	--	--	--	39	39	37	35	39	37	35	39	37	35	37	53	47	50	45	50	57	48	50	57	48	50	57	48	50	57	48			
21.....	54	50	--	--	--	--	39	38	35	34	41	39	35	41	38	35	34	41	38	46	46	60	51	70	58	58	68	59	58	68	59	68	59	68		
22.....	53	50	--	--	--	--	39	38	36	41	40	37	35	40	38	36	45	40	52	47	48	45	61	53	71	60	67	57	62	60	67	57	62	60	67	
23.....	51	47	--	--	--	--	40	39	38	36	45	40	38	46	40	38	45	40	50	46	47	45	58	51	71	60	63	56	63	56	63	56	63	56	63	
24.....	53	49	--	--	--	--	41	40	38	35	45	40	38	46	40	38	45	40	50	44	45	43	57	51	70	59	64	59	64	59	64	59	64	59	64	
25.....	51	46	--	--	--	--	41	39	38	34	43	40	38	46	40	38	43	40	48	46	45	43	57	51	70	59	63	59	63	59	63	59	63	59	63	
26.....	49	44	--	--	--	--	39	38	36	34	43	39	36	43	39	38	35	40	37	45	41	48	46	50	46	70	59	62	58	62	58	62	58	62	58	62
27.....	49	44	--	--	--	--	39	37	35	34	43	41	39	45	43	41	46	42	50	48	48	54	51	71	60	63	58	61	58	61	58	61	58	61		
28.....	47	43	--	--	--	--	41	39	38	36	43	41	39	43	41	39	43	41	50	49	54	51	71	61	62	57	57	52	57	52	57	55	52			
29.....	47	43	--	--	--	--	41	40	38	36	43	40	38	44	41	39	43	40	48	42	55	51	71	60	66	56	59	55	59	55	59	55	59			
30.....	47	43	--	--	--	--	41	40	38	36	43	40	38	44	41	39	43	40	48	42	55	51	71	60	66	56	59	55	59	55	59	55	59			
31.....	47	44	--	--	--	--	43	41	39	37	44	42	39	44	41	39	44	42	40	48	42	55	51	71	60	67	57	57	55	57	55	57	55	57		
Average.....	53	48	--	--	--	--	39	37	35	34	42	39	36	46	42	39	46	42	51	46	56	51	71	61	68	59	65	57	65	57	65	57	65	57	65	

## JOHN DAY RIVER BASIN--Continued

## DESOLATION CREEK NEAR DALE, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station 1 mile upstream from mouth, and 2 miles east of Dale, Grant County.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.--106 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: July 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1932-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 71°F. Aug. 24, 1951; minimum, freezing point many days November to March. Minimum, 76°F. Aug. 24, 1951; minimum, freezing point many days each winter.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water at water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	
1.....	54	47	45	41	32	32	32	32	37	35	33	33	40	34	40	38	48	43	55	46	65	53	64	54	
2.....	54	47	41	35	32	32	32	32	36	35	33	44	41	33	46	47	43	57	57	66	55	63	57	57	
3.....	54	48	38	34	32	32	32	32	36	34	33	43	46	39	47	41	57	49	57	61	50	62	51	51	
4.....	53	46	37	34	32	32	32	32	35	34	35	44	36	49	40	47	43	56	47	64	57	62	51	51	
5.....	51	44	37	34	32	32	32	32	35	34	37	44	40	49	40	49	42	59	42	60	62	62	52	52	
6.....	50	44	37	35	32	32	32	32	37	35	38	40	36	46	40	48	45	50	50	70	60	62	52	52	
7.....	50	44	38	35	32	32	32	32	37	35	38	40	33	37	36	44	40	47	43	60	52	70	59	54	
8.....	51	46	36	35	32	32	32	32	36	35	33	41	34	40	38	47	42	60	52	69	61	64	61	54	
9.....	51	45	36	35	32	32	32	32	36	35	32	42	34	40	38	47	42	60	51	68	62	53	53	53	
10.....	51	45	35	35	32	32	32	32	38	35	39	33	41	38	50	42	62	53	68	56	63	52	52	52	
11.....	50	45	38	35	32	32	32	32	34	33	38	34	38	43	36	52	46	63	53	69	65	64	64	64	
12.....	50	44	40	38	32	32	32	32	34	32	39	36	40	35	48	38	51	45	65	55	65	58	56	56	
13.....	49	44	40	38	32	32	32	32	36	35	38	35	40	36	49	41	51	43	66	57	69	57	64	55	
14.....	45	39	38	36	32	32	32	32	37	34	38	33	42	36	45	42	50	44	65	56	64	57	64	54	
15.....	44	38	37	35	32	32	32	32	35	34	39	34	45	35	47	41	50	45	63	53	71	59	64	54	
16.....	45	38	37	35	32	32	32	32	36	35	33	38	40	50	41	48	43	63	51	68	61	63	55	55	
17.....	46	40	36	33	32	32	32	32	36	35	33	39	34	40	49	41	52	43	65	53	69	57	59	51	
18.....	48	42	45	42	35	34	32	32	36	35	34	33	37	34	47	37	48	42	50	42	66	55	70	58	
19.....	48	44	45	44	35	32	32	32	35	34	33	32	38	34	47	39	45	40	48	43	66	55	70	59	
20.....	48	43	32	32	32	32	32	32	35	33	33	39	33	48	39	44	38	50	42	64	53	68	61	58	
21.....	49	45	32	32	32	32	32	32	36	35	33	32	37	33	46	38	43	39	52	43	65	53	68	57	
22.....	49	45	32	32	32	32	32	32	36	35	33	38	34	46	37	44	39	52	44	67	65	54	56	49	
23.....	49	42	32	32	32	32	32	32	37	36	33	33	44	35	43	38	44	41	50	44	65	53	66	53	
24.....	47	46	32	32	32	32	32	32	37	35	33	33	44	36	45	37	43	40	52	43	65	53	67	55	
25.....	46	40	32	32	32	32	32	32	36	33	33	35	41	36	46	37	44	40	52	44	66	55	59	53	
26.....	44	39	32	32	32	32	32	32	36	33	33	32	41	34	43	39	46	41	53	44	66	54	60	53	
27.....	44	39	32	32	32	32	32	32	36	35	33	32	43	36	41	39	46	41	53	47	67	65	60	55	
28.....	43	38	32	32	32	32	32	32	36	34	33	32	40	37	46	44	51	47	67	54	58	53	55	50	
29.....	43	39	32	32	32	32	32	32	36	34	31	31	41	34	40	36	47	44	52	46	68	55	56	52	
30.....	45	42	33	32	32	32	32	32	37	36	35	36	41	34	41	37	49	42	52	48	68	57	61	55	
31.....	45	45	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Average.....	48	43	36	34	32	32	32	32	35	33	33	35	33	39	34	42	37	46	40	50	44	63	53	66	57

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN OREGON AND LOWER COLUMBIA RIVER BASIN

## DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN

## DESCHUTES RIVER NEAR CULVER, OREG.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, 0.7 mile downstream from bridge on Cove-Grandview road, 2½ miles above Crooked River, 4 miles northwest of Culver, Jefferson County, and at mile 116.5.

DRAINAGE AREA—2,723 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures:

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum 63°F July 6-8, 11, 12; minimum, 39°F several days in November, December, and February.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year 1952-53 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, September 1952 to September 1953

Day	September			October			November			December			January			February			March			April			May			June			July			August			September		
	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min	max	max	min				
1.....	58	56	55	54	49	48	39	44	45	44	44	44	44	43	43	48	46	46	52	51	57	56	59	57	59	57	59	56	56	56	56	56	56	58					
2.....	58	56	55	54	48	45	42	39	45	44	44	44	44	43	41	49	46	46	53	51	57	55	61	58	59	57	57	57	60	58	60	58	58	58	58				
3.....	59	58	55	54	46	45	44	42	45	44	44	44	44	43	43	49	49	49	53	53	57	55	62	59	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
4.....	59	57	55	54	47	46	44	44	46	45	43	43	43	43	43	49	49	49	55	55	57	55	62	59	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
5.....	58	56	55	53	47	45	44	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	49	49	49	55	55	57	54	62	59	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
6.....	58	57	54	53	47	45	45	42	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	49	48	48	51	51	57	55	63	60	60	58	58	58	60	58	60	58	58	58	58				
7.....	57	56	54	53	45	44	42	41	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	49	47	47	54	54	57	55	63	60	61	59	59	59	61	59	61	59	59	59	59				
8.....	57	55	54	53	46	46	41	41	45	45	43	43	43	43	43	49	46	46	53	53	57	53	63	60	61	58	58	58	60	58	60	58	58	58	58				
9.....	56	54	54	53	46	45	41	40	45	44	43	43	43	43	43	49	47	48	54	54	57	52	62	59	60	58	58	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57				
10.....	56	54	54	52	45	43	42	40	44	42	41	40	40	40	40	49	47	48	53	53	57	54	61	59	60	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57	57				
11.....	56	54	52	52	45	45	43	41	45	43	41	41	41	41	41	47	47	48	52	52	57	53	63	60	60	57	57	59	57	59	57	59	57	57	57				
12.....	57	56	54	52	45	45	43	43	45	45	43	43	43	43	43	49	47	48	51	51	57	53	63	60	61	58	58	59	57	59	57	59	57	57	57				
13.....	57	54	52	52	45	45	44	43	45	44	43	43	43	43	43	49	47	47	54	54	57	53	62	59	61	58	58	58	60	58	59	57	57	57	57				
14.....	56	54	51	51	45	44	43	43	44	43	43	43	43	43	43	49	45	45	50	50	55	53	60	58	59	56	56	56	58	56	58	56	58	56	58				
15.....	56	54	52	51	44	43	42	42	43	42	43	42	42	42	42	49	46	46	51	51	55	53	60	58	59	56	56	56	58	56	58	56	58	56	58				
16.....	57	55	52	51	43	42	41	41	43	43	41	41	41	41	41	49	45	45	51	50	58	55	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
17.....	58	56	52	51	42	42	41	41	44	43	43	43	43	43	43	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
18.....	58	56	52	52	42	42	41	41	44	44	42	41	41	41	41	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
19.....	59	56	53	52	42	42	41	41	43	43	41	40	40	40	40	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
20.....	59	57	53	52	42	42	41	41	43	43	41	40	40	40	40	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
21.....	59	56	53	52	42	42	41	41	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
22.....	58	56	53	52	42	42	41	41	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
23.....	58	56	52	51	41	39	41	40	43	42	41	41	41	41	41	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
24.....	58	56	52	51	39	39	40	40	44	43	42	40	40	40	40	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
25.....	58	56	52	50	39	39	40	40	44	43	42	40	40	40	40	49	45	45	49	49	55	53	60	57	58	57	57	57	59	57	59	57	57	57	57				
26.....	58	57	50	48	39	39	43	42	44	41	48	46	45	44	43	49	45	45	54	54	58	56	60	57	56	55	55	55	57	55	55	55	55	55	55				
27.....	58	55	49	48	39	39	39	39	42	41	46	49	47	46	45	49	45	45	53	53	58	56	60	57	56	55	55	55	57	55	55	55	55	55	55				
28.....	57	54	49	48	39	39	39	39	42	40	46	49	47	46	45	49	45	45	53	53	58	56	60	57	56	55	55	55	57	55	55	55	55	55	55				
29.....	55	53	49	48	39	39	39	39	42	41	46	49	47	46	45	49	45	45	53	53	58	56	60	57	56	55	55	55	57	55	55	55	55	55	55				
30.....	55	54	50	49	39	39	43	43	45	44	43	43	43	43	43	49	45	45	50	50	55	53	58	57	56	55	55	55	57	55	55	55	55	55	55				
31.....	—	—	50	49	—	—	44	43	45	44	43	43	43	43	43	49	45	45	—	—	57	55	58	57	56	55	55	55	57	55	55	55	55	55	55	55			
Average.....	57	55	53	51	43	42	41	44	43	42	40	40	40	40	40	49	45	45	52	52	55	54	58	56	56	55	55	57	55	57	55	55	55	55	55				

## DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## CROOKED RIVER NEAR CULATER, OREG.

LOCATION. --Temperature recorder at gaging station, 1 mile upstream from mouth, 1 mile downstream from Cove powerplant, and 4 miles northwest of Culver, Jefferson County.

DRAINAGE AREA. --4,330 square miles, approximately, of which 500 square miles is probably noncontributing.

RECORDS AVAILABLE. --Water temperatures: July 1932 to September 1933.

RECORDS, 1952-53. --Water temperatures: Maximum, 44°F; minimum, 63°F; July 14; maximum, 44°F; Feb. 9, 10.

REMARKS. --Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																								
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
1.....	56	56	54	54	53	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
2.....	56	56	54	54	53	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
3.....	56	56	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
4.....	56	56	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
5.....	56	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
6.....	56	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
7.....	56	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
8.....	56	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
9.....	55	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
10.....	55	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
11.....	55	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
12.....	55	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
13.....	55	55	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
14.....	55	54	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
15.....	54	54	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
16.....	54	54	53	53	51	51	51	52	51	50	50	50	51	50	50	51	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
17.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
18.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
19.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
20.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
21.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
22.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
23.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
24.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
25.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
26.....	54	54	52	52	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
27.....	54	54	51	51	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
28.....	54	54	51	51	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
29.....	54	54	51	51	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
30.....	54	54	51	51	50	50	50	51	50	49	49	49	50	49	49	50	50	50	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
31.....	54	54	--	--	52	52	50	50	--	--	--	--	50	49	--	--	50	49	--	--	50	49	--	--	--
Average.....	55	55	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	--	--	--	48	48	51	50	52	51	51	50	50	50	50	50	50

## DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## METOLIUS RIVER NEAR GRANDVIEW, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station at Montgomery Ranch, 8 miles northwest of Grandview, Jefferson County, and 13 miles northwest of Culver.

DRAINAGE AREA.--324 square miles (hydrologic drainage boundary uncertain owing to ground-water exchange).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: July 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 52°F many days in July; minimum, 39°F Dec. 27, 28, Jan. 26.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	47	45	44	43	42	42	40	42	43	41	45	42	46	43	48	46	51	46	51	47	50	46	46	46
2.....	47	45	43	42	43	42	42	42	42	41	46	42	46	43	50	49	52	46	51	47	49	49	46	46
3.....	47	45	43	42	43	42	42	42	42	41	46	42	46	43	49	45	52	46	50	47	49	49	46	46
4.....	47	45	43	42	43	42	42	42	42	41	46	42	46	43	49	45	52	46	50	47	49	49	46	46
5.....	46	44	43	42	43	42	42	42	42	41	46	42	46	43	49	45	52	46	50	47	49	49	46	46
6.....	46	44	43	42	43	41	41	42	41	42	45	42	46	43	48	45	52	46	50	47	50	47	47	47
7.....	46	44	42	42	42	41	41	42	42	41	45	42	46	43	48	45	52	47	51	47	50	47	47	47
8.....	46	44	43	42	42	41	41	42	42	41	45	42	46	43	48	45	52	47	51	47	49	46	46	46
9.....	47	45	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	43	48	45	52	47	51	47	49	46	46	46
10.....	46	44	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	43	47	45	52	47	51	47	49	46	46	46
11.....	46	44	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	42	48	43	48	45	52	47	51	47	49	46
12.....	46	44	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	42	48	43	48	45	52	47	51	47	49	46
13.....	46	44	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	42	48	43	49	45	52	47	51	47	49	46
14.....	45	43	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	44	42	46	43	48	45	51	47	51	47	49	46	46	46
15.....	45	43	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	44	42	46	43	48	45	51	47	51	47	49	47	47	47
16.....	45	43	43	42	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	51	47	51	47	49	46	46	46
17.....	45	43	42	41	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	51	47	51	47	49	45	45	45
18.....	45	43	42	41	43	41	41	42	42	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	51	47	51	47	49	45	45	45
19.....	46	44	42	41	43	40	40	41	42	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	51	47	51	47	49	46	46	46
20.....	46	44	42	41	43	40	40	41	42	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	51	47	50	47	48	46	46	46
21.....	46	44	42	40	42	41	41	42	41	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	51	47	50	47	48	45	45	45
22.....	46	44	42	40	42	41	41	42	41	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	51	47	50	47	48	45	45	45
23.....	46	44	42	40	42	41	41	42	41	41	45	43	46	44	49	45	50	47	50	47	48	45	45	45
24.....	45	44	41	40	41	40	40	41	40	41	44	43	46	44	49	44	50	46	51	46	48	45	45	45
25.....	44	43	41	40	41	40	40	41	40	41	44	43	46	44	49	45	51	46	51	46	47	45	45	45
26.....	44	43	41	40	40	39	41	40	40	39	44	42	46	43	48	46	49	44	51	46	49	46	46	46
27.....	45	43	41	40	40	39	41	40	40	39	44	42	46	43	47	45	50	47	51	46	49	46	46	46
28.....	45	43	41	40	41	39	39	41	40	41	44	42	46	43	47	45	50	47	51	46	49	46	46	46
29.....	45	44	41	40	42	41	41	42	41	41	45	43	46	42	46	43	50	47	51	46	49	46	46	46
30.....	45	44	41	40	42	41	41	42	41	41	45	43	46	42	46	43	50	47	51	46	49	46	46	46
31.....	45	44	41	40	42	41	41	42	41	41	45	43	46	42	46	43	50	47	51	46	49	46	46	46
Average.....	46	44	43	42	43	41	41	42	41	41	45	43	46	43	48	44	51	46	50	47	49	46	46	46

DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN--Continued  
DESCHUTES RIVER NEAR MADRAS, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 1 mile downstream from Pelton dam site, 5 miles upstream from Shitlike Creek, and 7½ miles northwest of Madras, Jefferson County, at mile 101.6 (river-profile survey).

DRAINAGE AREA, ~1,900 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: March 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 59°F; June 17, and several days in July; minimum, 43°F Dec. 28, Jan. 20-22, 27, 28, Feb. 9, 10, 19.

REMARKS.--Records of discharges for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in Nsp 1288.

Average Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max
1.....	33	31	50	48	44	44	46	46	46	45	48	47	49	48	50	51	50	56	55	57	54	57	54	58	55
2.....	53	51	48	47	46	46	47	46	45	45	47	46	47	46	51	51	56	54	58	55	57	55	57	56	55
3.....	53	51	48	47	47	46	46	47	45	44	48	47	52	49	53	53	56	54	58	55	56	55	56	54	54
4.....	53	51	48	47	47	46	46	47	45	44	48	47	52	51	57	54	55	54	58	56	57	55	57	56	55
5.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	52	51	57	54	55	54	58	56	57	55	57	56	55
6.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	52	51	57	55	56	54	58	56	57	55	57	56	55
7.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	51	50	57	55	56	54	58	56	57	55	57	56	55
8.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	51	50	57	55	56	54	58	56	57	55	57	56	55
9.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	50	49	50	49	50	49	51	50	57	55	56	54	54
10.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	50	49	50	49	50	49	51	50	57	55	56	54	54
11.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	50	49	50	49	50	49	51	50	57	55	56	54	54
12.....	52	51	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	50	49	50	49	50	49	51	50	57	55	56	54	54
13.....	51	48	50	48	47	47	46	46	45	45	48	48	50	49	50	49	50	49	51	50	57	55	56	54	54
14.....	51	48	50	48	47	47	46	46	45	45	48	48	50	49	50	49	50	49	51	50	57	55	56	54	54
15.....	50	49	50	48	47	47	46	46	45	45	48	48	47	46	47	46	45	46	47	46	47	45	46	45	45
16.....	51	50	47	46	46	46	45	45	45	44	48	48	50	49	50	49	50	49	51	50	57	55	56	54	54
17.....	51	50	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	48	48	47	46	47	45	46	45	47	46	57	55	56	54	53
18.....	51	50	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	48	48	47	46	47	45	46	45	47	46	57	55	56	54	53
19.....	52	51	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	48	48	46	45	46	44	45	44	46	45	57	55	56	54	54
20.....	52	51	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	48	48	46	45	46	44	45	44	46	45	57	55	56	54	53
21.....	52	51	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	48	48	46	45	46	44	45	44	46	45	57	55	56	54	53
22.....	52	51	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	48	48	46	45	46	44	45	44	46	45	57	55	56	54	53
23.....	52	51	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	44	48	48	46	45	46	44	45	44	46	45	57	55	56	54	53
24.....	51	51	44	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	45	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	52	50	51	50	53
25.....	51	49	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	52	50	51	50	53
26.....	50	49	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	52	50	51	50	53
27.....	50	49	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	52	50	51	50	53
28.....	50	49	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	52	50	51	50	53
29.....	50	49	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	52	50	51	50	53
30.....	50	49	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	52	50	51	50	53
31.....	50	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Average.....	51	50	46	46	46	45	45	45	45	45	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	46	44	49	48	52	51	53

## DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WARM SPRINGS RIVER AT HEHE MILL, NEAR WARM SPRINGS, OREG.

LOCATION --Temperature recorder at gaging station at downstream side of highway bridge, a quarter of a mile east of abandoned Hehe Mill, 10 miles south of Bear Springs ranger station, and 18 miles northwest of Warm Springs, Jefferson County.

DRAINAGE AREA --108 square miles.

RECORDS 1950-53 --Water temperatures:

Maximum, 59°F July 6-8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 18; minimum, 34°F Nov. 24, 25, Dec. 27, Jan. 1-2.

Water temperatures: Maximum, 59°F several days in July of each year; minimum, freezing point Dec. 26, 27, 1951, Jan. 1-4, 1952.

EXTREMES 1950-53 --Water temperatures: Maximum, 59°F October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

REMARKS --Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max
1.....	49	45	43	41	36	35	38	34	41	40	42	40	45	41	46	42	49	46	46	47	46	49	48	48	48
2.....	48	45	41	39	38	36	38	33	40	40	42	40	45	40	46	42	50	46	48	49	49	50	50	52	47
3.....	48	45	40	39	38	37	39	38	41	40	43	41	47	42	50	45	53	48	50	55	50	55	50	52	47
4.....	48	45	41	40	39	38	38	37	40	38	44	41	47	44	51	45	58	54	54	50	56	48	52	47	
5.....	48	44	42	41	39	39	38	37	40	38	44	41	47	44	51	45	58	50	56	48	52	47	52	47	
6.....	46	44	42	39	39	37	37	39	37	40	38	45	42	45	41	50	46	49	46	49	50	55	50	53	49
7.....	46	44	40	39	37	37	39	39	40	40	45	42	45	40	47	44	50	47	50	57	57	50	53	49	
8.....	46	40	38	38	37	37	39	36	40	39	45	42	44	41	47	43	49	45	59	51	57	49	53	48	
9.....	49	47	39	37	38	38	38	38	39	38	45	43	43	41	46	42	50	46	56	56	56	49	52	47	
10.....	48	45	42	39	40	38	38	38	40	39	44	42	44	41	49	43	53	50	56	56	56	49	52	47	
11.....	48	44	42	41	39	38	39	38	40	40	44	42	44	41	49	42	51	48	51	56	49	52	48		
12.....	47	44	42	42	40	39	39	41	40	44	42	44	41	44	42	43	50	48	58	51	56	49	53	49	
13.....	47	44	42	41	40	39	39	38	42	40	43	40	44	42	48	43	52	46	59	51	56	49	52	47	
14.....	46	42	41	40	38	38	39	38	40	42	40	42	40	47	42	49	45	55	47	59	52	55	50	52	48
15.....	44	39	40	39	38	38	38	38	41	40	44	41	46	42	50	44	55	48	56	50	53	53	48		
16.....	46	45	39	38	38	38	39	39	42	40	44	43	46	44	52	44	55	47	57	49	56	50	52	48	
17.....	46	44	39	37	38	38	39	39	41	37	43	40	47	44	52	46	56	48	57	48	55	49	49		
18.....	46	44	39	39	38	38	38	37	37	36	39	42	41	49	43	50	47	54	59	51	56	51	46		
19.....	47	45	39	38	38	38	38	37	36	41	39	43	41	51	45	47	43	51	46	57	49	56	51	46	
20.....	47	45	40	38	38	37	37	37	41	39	44	41	47	42	49	45	55	47	59	52	55	50	53	48	
21.....	47	45	40	38	38	38	38	37	37	37	41	39	44	41	53	47	49	45	57	49	54	47	45		
22.....	46	45	38	36	38	37	37	39	37	41	40	45	45	50	46	48	43	55	47	58	50	53	48		
23.....	46	44	36	35	38	37	37	39	39	40	38	46	43	47	45	46	44	53	47	57	48	52	48		
24.....	45	44	35	34	37	37	39	38	39	38	46	43	49	43	49	43	55	47	57	48	53	47	48		
25.....	44	42	35	34	37	36	38	37	40	38	45	42	46	45	47	44	56	47	57	49	47	48	44		
26.....	43	41	35	35	36	35	37	37	42	40	44	41	48	46	45	43	53	47	57	49	52	48	44		
27.....	43	42	35	35	35	34	35	34	37	35	45	42	47	46	48	44	51	48	57	49	52	48	51		
28.....	43	41	35	35	35	35	35	35	38	44	42	46	43	47	43	50	44	53	48	57	49	50	47		
29.....	44	43	35	35	35	35	35	35	36	40	40	41	44	42	51	46	51	47	57	49	52	46	44		
30.....	45	44	36	35	38	37	37	37	41	41	44	41	45	43	45	41	50	46	55	47	57	50	47		
31.....	44	43	--	--	38	37	38	37	39	38	41	--	--	--	--	50	44	--	--	56	48	55	49	--	
Average.....	46	44	39	38	38	37	39	38	41	39	44	42	47	43	49	44	52	47	58	49	54	49	51	47	

## DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN—Continued

## DESCHUTES RIVER AT MOODY, NEAR BIGGS, OREG.

LOCATION.—At right bank, 0.5 mile upstream from bridge on U. S. Highway 30, 0.6 mile downstream from gaging station at Moody, 0.9 mile upstream from mouth, and about 4 miles southwest of Biggs, Sherman County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—10,500 square miles, approximately.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: August 1911 to July 1912; December 1952 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1952 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 105 ppm Mar. 21-31; minimum, 90 ppm July 21-31.

Hardness: Maximum, 46 ppm Mar. 21-31; May 1-10, minimum, 38 ppm July 11-20.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 141 micromhos Jan. 18, Mar. 26; minimum daily, 92.4 micromhos Jan. 19.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 67°F Aug. 5-6.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, December 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, December 1952 to September 1953										Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Dissolved solids Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per day	Calcium, magne- sium, sodium	Non-carbonate	Percent so- dium	So- dium absorp- tion ratio	Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Co- or		
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potas- sium (K)	Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Nitro- rate (NO <sub>3</sub> )												
Dec. 29-31, 1952	6,092	34	0.12	8.1	5.9	10	2.1	70	2.6	2.7	0.4	1.0	—	103	0.14	1,600	44	0	32	0.7	125	7.3	20
Jan. 1-10, 1953	10,460	30	.09	7.6	5.2	8.4	2.0	60	2.4	2.4	.4	.4	—	92	.13	2,600	40	0	30	.6	108	7.3	18
Jan. 11-31, 1953	12,260	29	.09	5.6	5.1	7.7	1.9	58	2.2	2.0	.4	.8	—	93	.13	3,080	40	0	28	.5	102	7.3	10
Feb. 1-10, 1953	8,415	31	.06	8.0	5.1	9.0	1.9	66	2.5	2.4	.5	.8	.08	94	.13	2,140	41	0	31	.6	113	7.3	15
Feb. 11-28, 1953																							
Mar. 1-10, 1953	6,805	33	.04	8.1	4.8	9.9	2.1	71	2.5	2.8	.3	1.0	—	99	.13	1,820	40	0	33	.7	124	7.4	7
Mar. 11-20, 1953	7,019	33	.12	9.7	9.8	9.8	2.1	71	2.5	2.8	.3	1.0	—	98	.13	1,860	40	0	33	.7	122	7.1	8
Mar. 21-31, 1953	7,636	32	.12	9.9	5.6	10	1.9	73	3.0	2.6	.3	.9	—	105	.14	2,160	46	0	31	.6	127	7.4	12
Apr. 1-10, 1953	7,743	33	.08	8.7	5.1	8.9	1.9	74	2.4	2.4	.3	.6	—	97	.13	2,030	43	0	33	.6	120	7.4	12
Apr. 11-20, 1953	6,375	33	.04	8.5	5.1	10	1.9	74	2.8	2.4	.3	.6	.08	98	.13	1,690	42	0	33	.7	126	7.3	12
Apr. 21-30, 1953	8,630	30	.10	9.2	5.2	7.9	1.6	66	5.5	2.8	.3	.8	—	97	.13	2,260	44	0	27	.5	118	7.4	8
May 1-10, 1953	7,859	30	.08	10	5.2	8.5	1.6	68	3.9	2.4	.3	.6	—	98	.13	2,080	46	0	28	.5	122	7.4	10
May 11-20, 1953	6,847	28	.03	9.4	4.5	9.3	1.6	70	3.5	3.1	.3	.5	.05	95	.13	1,760	42	0	31	.6	122	7.2	10
May 21-31, 1953	8,038	30	.07	9.2	4.8	8.9	1.6	68	3.3	2.2	.3	.5	—	95	.13	2,060	45	0	30	.6	121	7.4	15
June 1-10, 1953	7,478	29	.04	5.4	4.5	8.1	1.7	70	3.4	2.6	.3	.4	—	95	.13	1,920	42	0	31	.6	121	7.6	15
June 11-20, 1953	7,557	30	.05	9.8	4.7	9.1	2.0	72	3.6	3.1	.3	.3	.05	99	.13	2,030	44	0	30	.6	129	7.5	10
Junes 21-30, 1953	5,834	32	.05	9.0	5.3	11	1.5	72	4.5	3.0	.2	.3	—	98	.13	1,540	44	0	34	.7	127	6.9	15
July 1-10, 1953	5,575	31	.04	8.0	4.9	11	1.5	68	4.4	2.5	.2	.3	—	92	.13	1,380	40	0	36	.8	118	6.9	10
July 11-20, 1953	5,555	31	.03	9.0	5.1	10	1.5	64	4.5	2.5	.2	.3	.04	97	.13	1,450	38	0	35	.7	112	6.9	10
July 21-31, 1953	4,799	33	.06	7.8	5.2	10	1.7	68	3.0	2.5	.2	.3	—	90	.12	1,170	41	0	34	.7	121	7.0	10
Aug. 1-10, 1953	4,949	35	.03	8.8	5.5	10	2.2	70	3.5	2.6	.2	.3	—	95	.13	1,310	43	0	32	.7	120	7.0	8
Aug. 11-20, 1953	4,949	34	.04	7.9	5.6	10	2.2	69	3.0	2.8	.2	.6	.06	95	.13	1,240	43	0	32	.7	120	7.0	8
Aug. 21-31, 1953	5,139	34	.05	7.7	5.3	10	2.2	69	4.1	2.7	.2	.6	—	94	.13	1,300	41	0	33	.7	121	7.0	12

## DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## DESCHUTES RIVER AT MOODY, NEAR BIGGS, OREG. --Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, December 1932 to September 1953--Continued.

Date of collection	Dissolved solids (residue at 160°C)												Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$			Specific conduct- ance (micro- mhos at 25°C)	Col- or						
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_4$ )	Iron (Fe)	Cal- cium (Ca)	Mg- ne- sium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Bicar- bonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Potas- sium (K)	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chlo- ride (Cl)	Nitro- rate ( $\text{NO}_3$ )	Bor- on (B)	Tons per mil- lion	Tons per acre- foot	Calcium, magni- esium	Non- so- dium carbon- ate	Per- cent so- dium						
Sept. 1-10, 1953 .	5,109	34	0.03	8.1	5.7	11	1.8	71	4.0	2.7	0.2	0.4	--	97	0.13	44	0	34	0.7	124	7.1	8	
Sept. 11-20.....	4,702	34	.03	8.0	5.9	11	2.0	72	3.2	3.2	.2	.3	1,250	44	0	34	.7	124	7.3	8			
Sept. 21-30.....	4,735	35	.02	8.4	5.7	11	1.6	72	3.3	2.5	.2	.4	--	97	.13	1,240	44	0	34	.7	124	7.3	5
Weighted average	a 6,998	31	0.06	8.4	5.2	9.4	1.9	68	3.2	2.6	0.3	0.7	--	96	0.13	1,810	42	0	31	0.6	119	--	--

a Represents 82 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## DESCHUTES RIVER BASIN--Continued

## DESCHUTES RIVER AT MOODY, NEAR BIGGS, OREG.--Continued

Temperature (° F) of water, December 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1			--	--	46	45	47	50	50	57	64	63
2			--	43	46	43	47	48	52	52	64	65
3			--	--	45	43	50	52	51	53	61	61
4			--	45	46	45	--	54	51	53	64	60
5			--	--	45	44	--	--	--	54	67	64
6			--	42	44	44	48	53	50	55	67	65
7			--	45	45	46	48	53	50	58	64	66
8			--	44	45	47	46	53	51	58	64	65
9			--	46	42	47	45	49	51	53	63	65
10			--	44	40	48	49	55	50	51	63	60
11			--	44	42	48	47	56	48	52	63	64
12			--	46	43	47	--	50	53	52	63	61
13			--	46	43	47	47	55	52	52	64	63
14			--	45	44	46	47	55	52	51	65	63
15			--	44	44	45	47	52	53	49	62	60
16			--	--	43	46	47	53	57	53	63	60
17			--	46	44	45	49	53	58	49	63	61
18			--	46	43	46	50	55	56	48	65	62
19			--	44	42	46	51	54	53	47	65	60
20			--	43	42	46	55	49	--	53	65	59
21			--	--	43	46	55	50	55	52	61	59
22			--	--	43	46	54	48	54	53	61	58
23			--	--	42	47	53	47	49	53	61	57
24			--	--	42	48	51	49	51	51	60	56
25			--	--	43	48	52	50	51	50	60	55
26			--	43	44	49	53	48	54	51	59	56
27			--	43	45	48	50	48	55	51	59	56
28			--	43	46	48	50	50	51	49	59	55
29			40	44	--	48	49	50	51	48	58	55
30			44	45	--	49	49	53	51	58	59	55
31			--	46	--	46	--	50	--	60	61	--
Average			--	--	44	46	49	51	52	53	62	60

## COLUMBIA RIVER MAIN STEM

## COLUMBIA RIVER AT MARYHILL FERRY NEAR RUFUS, OREG.

LOCATION.—At Maryhill Ferry about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles downstream from Rufus, Sherman County, and about 9 miles upstream from The Dalles gaging station, which is just upstream from Celilo Falls, 3 miles downstream from Deschutes River, and 11 miles east of The Dalles, Wasco County and at mile 201. DRAINAGE AREA.—237,000 square miles (above gaging station near The Dalles).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: December 1950 to September 1953.

Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 157 ppm Dec. 21-31; minimum, 85 ppm July 1-10.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 104 ppm Dec. 21-31; minimum, 63 ppm during several periods April to June.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 77°F Sept. 4-6; minimum observed, 40°F Dec. 25, Jan. 19.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 157 ppm Dec. 21-31, 1952; minimum, 85 ppm July 1-10, 1953.

Hardness: Maximum, 104 ppm Dec. 21-31, 1952; minimum, 56 ppm May 21-31, 1951.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 268 micromhos Dec. 29, 1952; minimum daily, 124 micromhos May 26, 1951.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 77°F Sept. 4-6, 1953; minimum observed, freezing point Jan. 25, 30, 1951.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore., discharge records for gaging station near The Dalles, Ore., for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288. These records include the inflow of the Deschutes River, which on the average amounts to less than 5 percent of the annual runoff at the gaging station. No other appreciable inflow between Maryhill Ferry and gaging station except during periods of heavy local rains.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica ( $\text{SiO}_2$ )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate ( $\text{HCO}_3$ )	Sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ )	Chloride ( $\text{Cl}^-$ )	Nitrate ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )	Fluoride (F)	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)			Hardness as $\text{CaCO}_3$	Percent calcium, magnesium, non-carbonate	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	pH	Col- or
														Parts per million	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per mill.					
Oct. 1-10, 1952 ..	86,000	11	25	8.0	12	1.4	104	26	6.5	0.9	--	146	0.20	33,900	95	10	21	0.5	239	7.8	-
Oct. 11-31 .....	86,000	11	25	8.0	13	1.6	106	26	6.4	0.9	0.02	147	0.20	34,130	95	8	21	.5	244	7.7	-
Nov. 1-30 .....	84,850	11	26	8.0	13	1.6	110	27	6.9	1.1	--	149	0.20	34,140	98	8	22	.6	252	7.5	-
Dec. 1-10 .....	82,380	14	26	7.8	10	2.4	108	25	5.9	1.4	--	145	0.20	32,250	97	8	18	.4	239	-	-
Dec. 11-20 .....	80,160	13	26	8.0	10	2.4	108	25	5.9	1.6	--	145	0.20	31,360	98	9	18	.4	239	-	-
Dec. 19-31 .....	79,920	13	28	8.4	12	2.4	112	27	6.6	1.3	--	157	.21	33,880	104	13	20	.5	258	-	-
Dec. 21-31 .....	81,490	16	22	7.7	10	2.5	92	22	5.8	2.1	--	140	.19	30,800	87	11	20	.5	216	-	-
Jan. 1-10, 1953 ..	126,900	18	20	7.1	8.5	1.5	82	17	4.8	1.7	.04	130	.18	44,540	79	12	19	.4	189	7.4	-
Jan. 11-31 .....	158,300	16	22	7.6	7.9	1.8	93	19	4.7	1.1	--	137	.17	54,280	86	10	16	.4	199	-	-
Feb. 1-10 .....	156,800	14	25	8.3	9.8	1.8	103	23	5.4	1.0	--	135	.18	49,860	97	12	18	.4	220	-	-
Feb. 11-19 .....	156,800	14	25	7.9	9.8	1.8	103	23	5.6	1.1	--	137	.19	45,200	95	10	18	.4	224	-	-
Feb. 20-28 .....	122,200	14	24	7.9	9.8	1.8	97	21	5.6	1.3	--	137	.19	45,760	92	12	17	.4	211	-	-
Mar. 1-10 .....	123,700	16	24	7.8	8.8	2.2	97	20	5.6	1.3	--	136	.18	48,950	87	8	17	.4	203	-	-
Mar. 11-20 .....	133,100	18	23	7.8	8.6	2.1	98	20	5.1	1.3	--	133	.18	55,340	87	11	16	.4	199	-	-
Mar. 21-31 .....	154,100	17	23	7.2	8.0	1.5	93	21	5.0	1.0	--	127	.17	51,740	86	10	16	.4	200	-	-
Apr. 1-10 .....	150,900	15	24	6.4	8.0	1.8	93	21	5.0	.9	--	127	.17	51,740	86	10	16	.4	182	-	-
Apr. 11-20 .....	156,800	15	20	6.4	8.0	1.8	84	20	3.9	.8	.03	116	.16	42,850	74	5	18	.4	157	-	-
Apr. 21-30 .....	179,600	16	17	5.1	6.5	1.9	72	11	3.0	.9	--	107	.15	51,890	63	4	18	.4	-	-	-

May 1-10, 1953...	209,100	16	5.0	6.4	1.9	72	14	3.0	.9	--	.15	60,970	63	4	18	.4	155			
May 11-20.....	187,700	8.7	17	4.5	2.4	79	14	3.2	.3	--	.19	51,780	63	0	20	.4	164			
May 21-31.....	340,200	7.9	18	4.5	6.8	1.6	76	15	2.5	.4	--	.13	86,180	63	2	18	.4	157		
June 1-10.....	470,900	6.5	18	4.5	9.1	1.8	81	14	2.4	.4	--	.14	133,500	63	0	23	.5	165		
June 11-20.....	586,100	6.4	18	4.9	14	2.1	92	13	3.1	.5	--	.16	183,800	65	0	31	.8	185		
June 21-30.....	472,700	6.5	18	4.5	13	1.8	92	14	2.8	.5	--	.15	141,700	63	0	30	.7	181		
July 1-10.....	372,900	7.1	19	4.9	3.4	1.1	79	12	1.7	.4	--	.05	95,580	68	3	10	.2	145		
July 11-20.....	352,500	8.0	20	5.2	4.7	1.1	78	13	1.8	.2	--	.12	80,890	71	7	12	.2	154		
July 21-31.....	260,400	7.4	21	5.2	6.8	1.5	85	15	3.0	.4	--	.14	70,310	74	4	16	.3	174		
Aug. 1-10.....	187,600	7.3	21	5.6	11	1.6	96	15	3.7	.2	--	.16	57,740	75	0	24	.6	192		
Aug. 11-20.....	144,200	8.0	21	5.6	17	2.6	105	19	5.2	.5	--	.135	18,52,360	75	0	32	.9	218		
Aug. 21-31.....	136,500	8.7	22	5.9	6.8	1.1	89	18	3.6	.6	--	.109	40,170	79	6	16	.3	186		
Sept. 1-10.....	129,800	9.0	21	6.0	7.9	1.6	88	18	3.7	1.0	--	.112	39,250	77	5	16	.4	191		
Sept. 11-20.....	116,300	8.6	22	6.6	9.0	1.7	91	20	4.2	1.0	--	.118	37,020	82	8	19	.4	199		
Sept. 21-30.....	110,300	8.1	22	6.6	9.6	1.7	95	22	4.6	1.0	--	.124	36,930	82	4	20	.5	209		
Weighted average	179,300	10		21	5.9	9.2	1.7	89	17	3.8	0.7	--	116	0.16	56,160	77	4	20	0.5	188

COLUMBIA RIVER MAIN STEM--Continued

COLUMBIA RIVER AT MARYHILL FERRY NEAR RUFUS, OREG.--Continued

Temperature ( $^{\circ}$ F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Once-daily measurement at approximately 4 p. m.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gauging station, half a mile downstream from Dairy Creek, 5 miles north of Glenwood, Klickitat County, and 7 miles upstream from Trout Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.--360 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures:

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 56° F August 7, 8, 15, 19; minimum, freezing point on several days in December.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 59° F July 10, 11, 1952; minimum, freezing point on Jan. 22, 1951, and several days in December 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min		
1.....	49	48	42	40	33	33	34	30	38	36	38	36	38	36	36	33	40	46	46	51	46	54	51	53	50	
2.....	49	47	40	38	35	33	35	33	38	38	38	36	38	36	38	36	43	40	47	45	52	47	54	50	52	49
3.....	49	47	39	38	35	34	35	35	39	39	39	37	40	38	38	36	46	42	47	44	53	49	54	51	51	48
4.....	49	47	40	38	34	34	35	35	39	39	39	37	41	39	39	36	46	42	46	44	53	49	54	51	51	48
5.....	48	46	41	40	36	34	35	35	34	39	38	40	38	37	37	35	45	42	46	46	54	49	55	52	52	49
6.....	47	46	41	40	36	33	35	34	39	38	40	38	40	37	37	35	46	42	46	46	54	49	55	52	52	49
7.....	47	46	40	38	34	34	35	35	34	39	40	38	37	37	35	36	44	42	47	46	54	51	55	52	52	51
8.....	46	46	39	37	35	34	35	34	40	38	38	36	38	37	36	36	43	41	47	44	56	52	56	50	53	50
9.....	50	48	37	35	35	34	36	35	38	36	40	39	38	37	38	36	44	41	48	44	53	50	52	49	50	49
10.....	49	47	40	37	35	33	35	35	37	36	40	39	38	36	38	36	44	41	49	46	56	50	54	50	51	48
11.....	47	47	40	40	34	32	35	35	38	37	39	39	40	38	45	41	49	47	55	50	54	50	51	49	51	49
12.....	47	47	40	38	35	34	36	35	38	37	40	39	38	40	38	46	42	48	46	51	51	54	50	51	49	
13.....	47	45	38	35	35	36	36	36	39	38	39	38	41	38	46	42	48	45	53	50	54	50	52	49	51	49
14.....	45	43	38	35	35	36	36	36	39	38	38	36	41	38	46	44	48	44	53	51	55	51	52	49	51	49
15.....	43	42	38	37	35	35	37	35	38	37	37	36	41	39	47	43	49	46	53	49	56	52	51	49	51	49
16.....	45	43	37	35	35	35	37	37	38	37	38	37	37	36	43	40	47	43	49	45	53	48	55	52	51	47
17.....	45	44	36	35	35	35	37	37	37	38	37	37	36	37	35	43	40	46	44	49	45	54	50	48	45	45
18.....	45	45	37	36	36	35	35	37	37	37	37	36	37	36	35	40	46	44	48	45	55	51	50	46	46	44
19.....	45	45	37	37	35	35	35	35	37	37	37	36	36	35	36	44	42	46	44	47	45	54	50	51	48	48
20.....	46	46	37	36	35	35	35	37	37	37	36	38	37	36	37	45	41	45	44	53	48	55	52	50	47	
21.....	46	46	37	35	35	35	37	37	37	37	36	39	37	34	42	45	44	47	44	54	49	53	49	48	45	45
22.....	46	45	35	34	35	34	37	37	37	37	39	38	33	43	40	45	43	49	46	55	50	52	49	50	47	
23.....	46	45	34	34	34	34	38	37	37	35	41	38	43	40	44	43	48	45	53	48	52	51	49	47	47	
24.....	45	44	34	33	34	34	38	38	36	35	40	39	42	39	44	44	49	45	52	48	51	49	48	44	44	
25.....	44	42	33	33	34	34	38	37	37	36	39	38	42	41	46	43	50	46	53	49	49	48	46	44	44	
26.....	42	41	33	33	33	33	37	37	37	38	37	39	37	36	42	41	46	45	49	46	52	48	51	49	46	44
27.....	41	41	33	33	33	33	32	32	32	32	38	38	37	39	40	38	41	47	45	48	54	52	49	47	46	44
28.....	41	41	33	33	33	33	32	32	32	32	38	38	37	39	40	39	42	39	45	48	53	50	49	47	46	44
29.....	43	41	33	33	33	33	32	32	32	32	38	38	37	39	40	39	43	40	47	47	55	50	51	49	46	43
30.....	44	43	33	33	35	35	32	32	32	32	38	38	38	37	40	38	43	40	47	43	50	52	50	49	46	44
31.....	43	42	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Average.....	46	45	37	36	35	34	36	36	38	37	39	37	39	37	39	37	41	39	45	43	48	45	54	50	47	47

## KLICKITAT RIVER BASIN--Continued

## KLICKITAT RIVER NEAR PITTS, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 5 miles upstream from Silvias Creek, and 7 miles upstream from mouth at Lyle.

DRAINAGE AREA.--1,290 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: August 1930 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 64° F Aug. 6; minimum, 36° F Nov. 24-30, Dec. 1, 2.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 66° F July 17, 1951; minimum, 35° F Jan. 28-31, Feb. 1, 2, 1951, Jan. 4-8, 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min		
1.....	55	52	47	44	36	33	40	39	43	43	41	38	40	44	41	48	45	52	49	59	52	61	56	59	55	
2.....	55	52	47	44	37	36	41	40	43	43	41	39	47	44	51	47	53	52	49	61	55	62	57	57	52	
3.....	55	52	47	44	39	37	41	40	43	43	41	41	47	45	52	49	53	50	50	61	55	60	56	56	52	
4.....	55	52	47	44	40	39	41	40	43	43	41	42	48	45	52	49	53	50	53	62	56	62	57	57	52	
5.....	54	50	45	42	40	39	41	40	43	43	43	42	48	45	52	49	53	50	53	62	56	62	57	57	52	
6.....	53	50	45	42	41	40	41	41	43	43	45	42	47	44	52	49	53	50	50	62	56	64	58	57	52	
7.....	52	50	45	42	41	40	41	41	43	43	45	42	46	43	49	48	53	50	50	62	57	63	58	58	54	
8.....	54	51	46	43	40	39	41	40	43	41	45	42	45	43	43	48	46	52	49	63	59	63	58	58	53	
9.....	55	53	47	44	39	38	40	39	42	41	42	40	46	44	45	43	48	45	49	49	61	57	63	58	53	
10.....	55	52	47	44	39	38	40	39	42	41	41	42	44	43	45	43	48	45	55	49	62	57	63	58	52	
11.....	53	51	48	45	42	39	43	41	41	41	40	45	44	45	43	49	46	55	52	52	62	57	63	58	52	
12.....	53	50	44	43	41	39	43	41	43	41	40	46	44	46	44	45	43	50	47	53	51	61	57	64	60	
13.....	52	50	44	43	42	41	43	42	43	41	41	44	42	45	43	48	43	50	48	53	49	61	57	63	59	
14.....	52	48	43	42	42	42	43	42	43	41	41	41	44	41	41	46	43	50	50	54	50	61	57	63	58	
15.....	52	49	46	43	42	42	42	41	41	41	40	43	42	42	41	47	44	51	48	57	53	59	56	63	55	
16.....	49	46	42	39	41	41	43	41	41	41	40	43	43	43	43	47	46	52	49	58	53	60	55	62	59	
17.....	50	48	41	41	41	41	44	43	41	41	40	43	41	41	40	46	52	50	58	54	61	55	62	57	54	
18.....	50	49	41	41	41	41	44	43	43	40	38	42	41	40	47	52	49	56	53	62	57	62	57	55	51	
19.....	51	50	41	40	41	41	44	43	43	40	38	43	41	42	41	47	49	49	54	52	61	57	63	58	53	
20.....	52	50	41	41	41	41	42	40	38	43	42	40	38	44	42	53	49	48	46	54	50	61	56	63	59	
21.....	52	51	41	40	41	41	43	42	42	41	41	40	38	40	42	50	48	46	46	51	62	56	60	56	51	
22.....	52	50	40	38	41	41	43	42	42	41	40	39	44	43	43	51	47	47	45	57	51	62	57	59	55	
23.....	50	49	43	38	37	36	40	39	43	43	43	40	38	47	44	49	46	47	45	56	52	61	56	56	54	
24.....	50	48	37	36	36	36	40	39	43	43	43	40	38	47	45	49	46	47	45	56	52	61	56	56	50	
25.....	50	46	36	36	36	36	39	39	43	42	41	38	45	44	44	48	47	48	45	58	53	60	56	56	52	
26.....	47	45	36	36	36	36	39	39	42	40	40	42	45	42	45	42	48	47	48	57	55	61	55	57	53	
27.....	46	44	37	36	36	36	39	39	41	40	44	42	45	43	43	48	47	49	48	56	54	61	56	58	53	
28.....	46	44	37	36	36	36	38	38	41	41	44	42	47	44	47	45	53	49	56	53	61	56	56	53	53	
29.....	46	44	37	36	36	36	38	38	41	41	44	42	47	44	47	44	53	51	56	52	62	57	58	53	53	
30.....	47	46	36	36	36	36	39	39	43	43	43	43	40	45	44	44	52	49	57	52	62	57	58	53	53	
31.....	47	47	--	--	--	--	39	39	45	45	45	--	--	45	45	42	--	--	50	47	--	61	56	50	54	--
Average.....	51	49	41	40	39	42	41	41	42	40	44	42	42	47	45	50	47	55	51	61	58	61	56	57	53	

## HOOD RIVER BASIN

## GREEN POINT CREEK BELOW NORTH FORK NEAR DEE, OREG.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, three-quarters of a mile upstream from mouth,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles downstream from North Fork, and  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles west of Dee, Hood County.

DRAINAGE AREA—20.0 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures:

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures:

EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Water temperatures:

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given WSP 1288.

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Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953											
	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September
max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max
1.....	55	53	48	46	38	33	36	40	39	43	42	49
2.....	53	53	46	45	38	37	36	38	38	44	42	47
3.....	54	53	45	45	38	33	38	40	39	46	44	47
4.....	54	52	45	45	38	33	38	40	39	42	41	47
5.....	53	52	45	45	38	33	38	40	39	42	41	48
6.....	52	51	45	45	38	33	38	41	40	41	40	46
7.....	52	51	44	44	38	33	38	41	41	40	46	47
8.....	53	52	44	44	38	33	38	41	41	40	44	43
9.....	53	52	44	43	38	33	38	41	40	41	41	42
10.....	52	52	43	38	38	33	38	40	41	41	40	44
11.....	52	51	43	43	36	33	39	40	41	41	40	45
12.....	52	52	43	43	37	37	39	39	40	41	40	47
13.....	52	51	43	43	38	37	39	40	40	40	40	44
14.....	51	50	43	43	38	33	39	41	40	40	46	46
15.....	50	49	43	42	38	33	39	40	40	38	41	40
16.....	50	50	42	41	38	33	39	40	39	41	41	48
17.....	50	50	41	41	38	33	39	39	39	43	41	48
18.....	50	50	41	41	38	33	39	39	39	43	41	48
19.....	51	50	41	41	38	33	39	39	39	43	43	47
20.....	52	51	41	41	39	33	39	39	39	45	43	44
21.....	52	52	41	41	39	33	39	39	39	45	43	45
22.....	52	51	41	40	38	33	40	39	40	44	44	45
23.....	52	51	40	39	38	33	40	39	39	40	44	44
24.....	51	51	39	39	38	33	40	39	39	40	44	42
25.....	51	50	39	38	38	33	40	39	39	44	43	45
26.....	50	49	38	38	38	33	37	39	38	40	39	44
27.....	49	49	38	38	37	37	36	38	41	39	41	44
28.....	49	48	38	38	37	36	38	41	41	42	41	48
29.....	49	48	38	38	36	36	38	39	39	42	41	47
30.....	50	49	38	38	37	36	38	40	40	42	41	47
31.....	49	48	--	--	38	37	40	40	--	--	47	44
Average.....	51	51	42	42	38	33	39	40	40	42	41	46

## SANDY RIVER BASIN

## BULL RUN RIVER AT BULL RUN, OREG.

LOCATION(revised).—Temperature recorder at gaging station at Bull Run, 450 feet downstream from tailrace of Portland General Electric Company's power plant, 1.5 miles downstream from Little Sandy River, and 1.5 miles above mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.—136 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: August 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 67° F July 27, 28; minimum, 34° F Nov. 29, 30.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 67° F July 27, 28; minimum, 34° F Nov. 29, 30, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953											
	October		November		December		January		February		March	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	56	54	--	--	37	35	39	33	42	41	44	44
2.....	57	55	--	--	38	36	40	33	42	40	43	49
3.....	56	47	46	39	36	40	40	42	42	40	45	47
4.....	--	--	46	46	39	37	40	40	42	42	43	48
5.....	--	--	47	46	40	39	40	40	42	42	43	47
6.....	56	55	47	46	40	38	40	40	42	42	41	47
7.....	56	55	55	46	43	40	39	40	40	42	41	48
8.....	56	55	45	45	44	40	39	41	42	42	41	47
9.....	56	55	46	45	40	39	41	41	42	42	41	45
10.....	56	55	47	45	40	39	41	41	42	42	43	47
11.....	55	53	47	46	40	40	42	42	43	42	43	47
12.....	55	54	47	45	41	40	42	42	43	42	43	49
13.....	54	--	47	45	41	41	42	42	42	42	42	49
14.....	52	51	46	44	41	40	42	42	42	42	43	47
15.....	51	50	45	43	41	40	42	42	42	41	41	47
16.....	51	50	43	40	41	40	42	42	42	41	41	46
17.....	51	50	41	40	40	40	42	42	41	41	41	46
18.....	--	41	40	39	42	41	41	41	41	41	41	47
19.....	--	41	40	40	43	42	40	42	42	42	43	48
20.....	53	52	41	40	43	43	40	40	42	41	48	47
21.....	54	54	41	40	39	43	43	41	42	41	46	47
22.....	55	54	40	39	40	39	43	43	41	41	46	47
23.....	55	53	39	38	40	39	43	43	43	41	46	47
24.....	--	--	38	37	39	37	43	43	40	39	42	47
25.....	--	--	38	37	38	36	43	43	40	39	42	45
26.....	--	--	37	36	37	36	43	41	41	43	41	47
27.....	51	50	49	37	36	37	42	41	42	42	47	45
28.....	50	50	37	36	36	35	37	37	42	42	43	47
29.....	50	50	37	36	34	33	38	38	42	42	43	47
30.....	51	50	36	34	33	34	39	39	42	42	43	47
31.....	51	50	--	--	39	39	42	42	--	--	49	--
Average.....	54	53	42	41	39	38	42	41	41	41	44	43

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN

## MIDDLE FORK WILLAMETTE RIVER BELOW NORTH FORK NEAR OAKRIDGE, OREG.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, half a mile below Whitehead Creek, 4 miles below North Fork of Middle Fork Willamette River, and 7 miles northwest of Oakridge, Lane County.

Drainage area:—924 square miles.

Records available:—Water temperatures: September 1950 to September 1953.

Extremes: 1950-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 66°F Aug. 12, 13, 18, 19; minimum, 35°F Nov. 29.

Extremes, 1950-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 67°F Aug. 12, 1952; minimum, 35°F Jan. 29-31, Feb. 1, Mar. 3-7, 1951, Nov. 29, 1952.

Remarks:—Record of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

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Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max
1.....	57	53	50	49	40	38	41	41	--	--	42	40	47	43	46	43	51	47	58	52	63	58	63	58	59
2.....	56	53	49	46	41	40	43	41	44	43	41	40	47	43	49	45	50	47	60	53	64	59	63	59	59
3.....	54	50	46	44	41	40	42	42	44	44	43	40	48	45	51	45	50	47	61	55	63	60	63	59	59
4.....	57	53	46	44	42	41	42	41	44	44	44	41	47	44	53	47	52	48	60	54	62	60	63	58	58
5.....	56	52	47	45	42	40	41	39	44	44	43	41	48	46	53	48	49	47	62	59	65	65	64	59	59
6.....	56	52	47	45	42	40	41	39	44	44	41	46	44	51	48	50	47	62	56	65	61	64	61	61	61
7.....	55	52	46	44	41	40	41	41	44	44	41	45	42	48	41	47	47	50	47	62	57	64	61	63	61
8.....	55	53	45	43	41	40	43	41	44	43	45	42	44	42	47	45	49	46	61	55	64	59	64	59	59
9.....	54	50	45	43	41	40	43	41	43	42	45	43	47	44	41	47	44	49	47	62	55	64	60	64	59
10.....	56	53	47	44	42	41	43	43	42	41	45	44	45	43	45	45	52	47	63	56	65	59	64	59	59
11.....	55	52	47	45	43	44	43	43	43	42	46	43	42	46	43	45	45	52	49	63	57	65	60	62	59
12.....	54	51	47	45	43	43	44	43	42	41	45	43	43	45	43	45	46	51	48	62	57	66	61	63	58
13.....	54	50	47	45	43	42	43	43	43	42	44	42	44	42	43	43	46	51	48	62	57	66	61	63	59
14.....	53	50	46	45	42	41	43	43	43	42	44	41	45	43	45	45	47	51	47	63	57	66	61	63	59
15.....	52	49	46	45	41	40	43	42	42	41	44	43	48	45	48	46	49	49	63	58	62	60	63	59	59
16.....	52	48	45	43	42	40	43	43	42	41	44	43	47	45	48	45	55	49	63	57	65	60	61	58	58
17.....	50	48	43	42	42	40	43	43	42	41	44	41	48	45	52	47	56	50	64	58	65	60	59	55	55
18.....	50	49	42	41	42	42	43	43	42	40	44	43	48	45	51	49	55	50	64	59	68	61	61	55	55
19.....	54	50	43	42	42	42	43	43	42	41	43	43	49	46	49	46	52	49	63	59	68	62	61	57	57
20.....	53	51	43	43	42	42	43	43	42	40	43	42	46	47	45	45	54	54	63	57	65	61	61	57	57
21.....	52	50	43	42	41	41	44	43	43	42	42	42	47	47	47	45	56	50	63	57	64	60	59	57	57
22.....	51	49	42	41	41	40	38	41	44	44	43	42	47	43	49	46	48	57	52	64	59	63	59	57	56
23.....	51	50	40	38	38	40	44	44	42	41	47	43	49	45	47	45	56	52	63	59	62	59	60	56	56
24.....	53	51	38	37	38	40	44	44	43	42	41	46	44	50	45	48	45	57	50	62	58	59	58	56	56
25.....	52	50	36	36	38	38	44	44	43	43	46	43	49	46	47	45	57	51	63	58	65	60	56	54	54
26.....	50	48	37	36	39	38	42	42	43	41	46	43	48	46	48	46	47	57	52	62	57	58	56	57	53
27.....	50	48	37	36	39	40	42	42	44	41	47	43	47	45	49	46	46	57	52	63	58	60	56	56	56
28.....	49	47	37	36	38	40	38	40	38	38	42	44	45	46	44	45	47	54	52	63	58	59	56	55	53
29.....	49	49	36	35	36	40	38	38	38	38	42	44	45	43	45	43	48	55	52	63	58	60	57	54	52
30.....	51	49	38	36	41	40	41	40	41	41	40	41	47	43	45	43	47	58	52	63	59	62	57	54	52
31.....	50	50	—	—	41	41	—	—	—	—	46	43	—	—	—	—	51	47	—	—	63	58	62	58	—
Average.....	53	51	43	42	41	40	43	42	43	42	44	42	44	42	44	42	44	46	53	49	62	56	59	61	56

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## MIDDLE FORK WILLAMETTE RIVER AT LOWELL, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, three-quarters of a mile south of Lowell, Lane County, and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  miles upstream from Lost Creek.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.--994 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: October 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum,  $68^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; Aug. 13; minimum,  $34^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; Nov. 16, 1951.

MAXIMUM,  $72^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; July 16, 1951; minimum,  $34^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; Nov. 28, 1953.

MINIMUM,  $32^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; July 16, 1951.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum,  $68^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; July 16, 1951; minimum,  $34^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; Nov. 28, 1953.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	60	57	50	48	40	37	42	42	43	43	42	40	47	44	49	47	50	49	56	54	64	63	62	60
2.....	60	57	50	48	41	40	43	42	43	43	42	40	47	44	49	47	50	49	56	54	64	63	62	61
3.....	60	57	48	45	41	41	44	42	44	43	42	40	48	44	51	51	51	50	48	57	58	64	63	62
4.....	60	57	46	45	42	41	44	42	44	44	42	40	48	46	54	51	51	50	49	60	58	64	63	61
5.....	59	56	46	45	42	42	41	44	43	44	42	40	47	44	55	53	51	48	58	64	62	64	61	61
6.....	59	56	46	45	42	42	41	41	44	44	42	40	47	44	55	51	49	48	61	59	65	63	63	61
7.....	59	56	46	45	42	42	41	41	44	44	42	40	47	44	55	51	49	48	62	61	65	63	63	62
8.....	57	56	45	44	42	42	43	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	48	47	62	61	65	63	63	62
9.....	56	55	45	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	49	52	48	62	61	65	62
10.....	57	56	45	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	49	52	48	62	61	66	62
11.....	57	55	45	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	49	52	48	62	61	66	62
12.....	57	55	45	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	49	52	48	62	61	66	62
13.....	57	54	45	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	49	52	48	62	61	66	62
14.....	56	53	45	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	49	52	48	62	61	66	62
15.....	55	53	45	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	49	52	48	62	61	66	62
16.....	54	51	44	44	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	64	63	63	62
17.....	53	51	44	42	42	43	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	64	63	63	62
18.....	52	52	42	41	42	43	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	64	63	63	61
19.....	55	52	42	41	43	43	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	64	63	63	61
20.....	56	54	42	41	43	43	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	65	63	63	61
21.....	56	53	42	41	43	43	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	65	63	63	61
22.....	54	52	42	39	43	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	65	63	63	61
23.....	53	52	40	37	42	42	41	41	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	65	63	63	61
24.....	53	52	38	36	41	39	44	44	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	64	63	62	59
25.....	53	52	37	36	39	38	44	44	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	51	49	64	62	62	59
26.....	52	50	36	35	39	38	44	44	44	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	50	49	64	62	62	59
27.....	50	49	36	35	40	39	42	42	42	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	50	49	64	62	60	58
28.....	49	48	35	34	40	39	42	42	42	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	50	49	64	62	60	58
29.....	49	49	35	34	41	39	43	43	42	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	50	49	64	62	60	58
30.....	49	49	37	35	42	42	41	41	43	43	42	40	48	44	49	47	47	48	50	49	64	62	60	58
31.....	50	49	--	--	42	42	41	41	43	43	42	40	48	44	49	--	--	46	44	48	50	49	57	
Average.....	55	53	43	42	42	41	43	43	43	43	42	40	48	44	49	46	46	48	50	48	52	50	48	50

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN--continued

## FALL CREEK BELOW WINBERRY CREEK NEAR FALL CREEK, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 1½ miles downstream from Winberry Creek, 2½ miles southeast of Fall Creek, Lane County, and 5 miles above mouth.

DRAING AREA.--86 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures.

EXTREMES 1952-53.--Water temperatures.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max
1.....	61	56	51	50	36	36	43	43	47	47	43	41	45	42	46	44	51	50	64	57	67	63	66	63	63
2.....	61	58	51	48	36	36	44	44	42	40	40	46	43	48	45	51	52	50	65	59	68	64	67	63	63
3.....	61	58	49	46	36	44	44	42	40	48	43	41	47	45	53	49	52	51	67	60	68	65	67	63	63
4.....	60	58	47	46	42	40	44	43	42	48	47	43	41	47	46	52	51	69	61	70	65	63	67	63	64
5.....	60	58	47	46	42	40	44	43	42	48	47	43	41	47	45	53	51	64	70	64	70	64	67	64	64
6.....	60	57	47	46	42	40	42	42	42	48	47	43	41	47	45	55	53	51	64	72	64	70	67	65	65
7.....	60	57	46	45	42	40	43	42	42	48	47	44	42	45	42	53	49	51	64	72	67	69	65	65	
8.....	59	58	45	44	42	40	45	43	48	47	45	43	45	42	45	43	50	48	49	50	64	69	64	63	
9.....	58	57	44	43	42	40	45	44	47	45	46	44	45	43	48	46	50	49	59	63	69	63	69	63	
10.....	58	55	45	43	42	40	45	44	46	46	46	47	43	49	46	54	49	54	64	70	64	67	63	63	
11.....	58	55	45	44	44	43	45	44	46	45	45	45	45	45	44	55	51	51	71	64	71	66	67	65	
12.....	57	54	45	44	44	43	45	44	47	46	45	44	45	43	45	43	53	51	51	70	64	71	67	65	
13.....	57	54	46	45	44	43	46	45	46	45	46	45	44	42	44	43	52	50	53	50	70	64	66	62	
14.....	56	53	45	44	43	42	45	44	46	45	46	43	42	47	44	51	50	57	51	66	70	66	66	63	
15.....	55	51	45	44	43	42	45	45	46	44	45	43	46	44	45	48	57	54	70	65	69	65	67	64	
16.....	54	50	44	44	43	42	46	45	45	44	43	43	46	46	48	48	59	53	63	68	64	64	65	62	
17.....	53	50	44	44	43	42	46	45	45	43	42	47	46	52	48	60	55	71	64	70	65	62	59	59	
18.....	53	52	44	44	42	43	43	46	45	45	45	43	43	46	46	52	51	59	71	66	70	66	62	60	
19.....	56	53	43	42	43	42	43	47	47	45	43	43	45	43	48	51	48	57	53	70	65	70	66	63	
20.....	57	55	42	44	43	42	44	47	45	44	43	42	52	48	48	47	57	52	68	63	69	65	63	61	
21.....	57	54	43	42	43	43	48	47	44	44	43	43	43	42	53	49	48	47	57	53	63	68	64	63	
22.....	55	53	42	40	43	43	47	44	47	44	45	43	46	42	52	49	48	46	60	54	69	64	61	60	
23.....	55	53	40	38	43	41	47	47	43	42	46	43	45	43	48	48	47	60	56	67	63	64	62	59	
24.....	57	53	39	38	37	41	40	47	47	42	41	46	46	47	47	46	47	60	54	67	62	64	61	59	
25.....	56	52	38	37	41	40	47	47	42	41	45	44	52	50	47	46	61	55	67	63	62	60	60	57	
26.....	52	50	37	37	41	41	47	45	43	41	45	43	45	41	45	43	51	51	58	62	60	59	59	55	
27.....	51	49	37	37	41	41	46	45	43	42	46	44	41	49	48	48	58	56	67	62	62	58	59	57	
28.....	51	49	37	37	41	40	46	45	43	43	46	45	47	49	48	57	55	67	63	60	60	59	55		
29.....	51	49	37	37	42	41	46	45	--	--	46	44	47	46	49	49	57	55	68	63	68	64	59		
30.....	51	51	37	36	43	42	43	42	43	47	46	46	45	46	45	49	49	56	63	68	64	59	57		
31.....	52	51	--	--	43	43	47	46	--	--	45	43	--	--	51	48	--	--	68	63	64	62	--		
Average.....	56	54	43	42	42	42	46	45	45	44	43	48	46	40	48	46	52	52	69	63	67	64	61		

## PACIFIC SLOPE BASINS IN OREGON AND LOWER COLUMBIA RIVER BASIN

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN—Continued

## LOOKOUT CREEK NEAR BLUE RIVER, OREG.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, 0.4 mile upstream from mouth and 6 miles northeast of Blue River, Lane County, Post Office.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—24.1 square miles.  
 RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.  
 EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 64°F July 13, Aug. 13; minimum, 35°F Nov. 29, 30.  
 EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 64°F July 16-18, 23, 1951; Aug. 2-4, 12, 1952; July 13, Aug. 13, 1953; minimum, 33°F Mar. 3-6, 1951.  
 REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																									
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	
1.....	55	53	49	47	38	36	40	40	43	43	41	41	44	42	43	42	43	42	46	45	46	45	46	45	46	
2.....	55	53	45	45	38	38	41	41	43	43	41	41	45	41	45	41	43	41	47	44	47	44	47	44	47	
3.....	55	53	45	44	39	38	41	41	43	43	43	42	44	43	43	42	44	43	49	44	49	44	49	45	49	
4.....	55	53	45	45	39	38	41	40	43	43	42	43	45	44	44	43	44	43	49	45	49	45	49	45	49	
5.....	54	53	46	45	39	41	40	40	43	42	43	41	45	44	44	43	44	43	49	44	49	44	49	45	49	
6.....	54	52	46	44	39	41	40	40	44	44	43	43	44	42	43	41	44	42	46	47	45	46	47	45	46	
7.....	54	53	45	44	40	39	41	40	44	44	42	42	43	41	43	41	44	43	46	45	46	45	46	45	46	
8.....	54	54	44	43	40	40	41	40	44	42	42	42	44	42	43	41	44	42	46	44	46	43	46	42	46	
9.....	54	54	44	45	40	40	42	41	43	42	45	43	45	41	44	41	44	42	46	42	46	42	46	42	46	
10.....	55	54	45	45	41	41	41	41	43	43	43	43	45	43	43	42	46	43	49	45	49	45	49	45	49	
11.....	55	52	46	45	41	41	42	41	43	43	44	44	43	42	43	42	44	42	48	46	48	46	48	46	48	
12.....	53	52	46	46	41	42	42	42	43	43	42	44	42	42	42	43	42	44	45	47	46	48	45	47	46	
13.....	52	51	46	45	42	42	42	42	44	43	42	43	42	42	42	43	42	44	45	46	45	46	45	46	45	
14.....	52	51	45	45	42	42	42	42	44	43	42	44	42	42	42	43	42	44	43	46	43	46	43	46	43	
15.....	52	51	45	45	42	42	41	41	42	42	43	42	44	42	44	42	44	42	45	43	47	43	47	43	47	
16.....	50	49	43	42	41	41	42	42	43	42	42	44	42	42	42	43	42	44	43	47	43	47	43	47	43	
17.....	50	49	42	42	41	41	42	42	43	42	43	42	44	42	42	43	42	44	47	44	47	44	47	44	47	
18.....	51	50	41	41	41	41	42	42	43	42	43	43	45	41	45	41	45	41	48	51	48	51	48	51	48	
19.....	52	51	41	40	41	41	41	40	42	42	43	42	44	43	45	43	45	43	48	47	48	47	48	47	48	
20.....	52	51	42	41	41	41	42	42	43	42	43	42	45	43	45	42	44	42	46	50	46	47	46	47	46	
21.....	52	50	42	40	41	41	38	42	42	44	43	42	45	43	43	42	44	43	47	43	47	43	47	43	47	
22.....	51	50	39	39	40	39	39	42	41	43	43	43	45	43	43	43	43	43	47	43	47	43	47	43	47	
23.....	50	50	38	38	37	39	38	39	42	42	43	41	44	46	42	43	43	43	42	48	43	48	43	48	43	48
24.....	50	50	38	38	37	39	38	38	42	41	43	41	44	46	42	44	44	44	42	48	43	48	43	48	43	48
25.....	50	48	37	37	36	38	38	38	41	40	43	41	44	45	43	45	43	45	42	48	43	48	43	48	43	48
26.....	48	37	37	37	37	38	38	38	41	40	43	42	45	43	44	44	44	44	47	43	47	43	47	43	47	
27.....	48	37	37	37	37	38	38	38	40	40	43	42	46	44	44	44	44	44	45	43	45	43	45	43	45	
28.....	48	37	36	36	36	38	38	38	41	40	43	42	45	44	44	43	43	42	48	43	48	43	48	43	48	
29.....	48	36	36	36	36	38	38	38	42	40	43	40	46	44	44	43	43	42	46	45	45	44	45	44	45	
30.....	49	48	36	36	35	40	39	43	42	40	43	42	44	43	42	43	42	44	45	43	45	43	45	44	45	
31.....	49	49	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Average.....	52	51	42	41	40	39	42	41	43	42	44	43	44	42	44	43	44	42	45	43	45	42	45	43	45	

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## NORTH SANTIAM RIVER BELOW BOULDER CREEK NEAR DETROIT, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, half a mile downstream from Boulder Creek and 3 miles southeast of Detroit, Marion County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--216 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: April 1951 to September 1953; Maximum, 59°F Aug. 18, 19; minimum, 35°F Nov. 28-30, Dec. 24-26, Feb. 17, 18.

EXTREMES 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 59°F July 28, 1952; minimum, 33°F Jan. 2, 3, 1952.

EXTREMES 1951-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 59°F July 28, 1952; minimum, 33°F Jan. 2, 3, 1952.

REMARKS.--Record of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	
1.....	50	48	45	43	39	38	38	37	39	39	36	35	40	37	41	39	46	44	53	47	56	51	56	52	
2.....	51	49	43	41	39	39	37	39	39	39	36	41	37	42	39	45	44	54	48	53	52	56	52	52	
3.....	50	49	41	39	38	36	39	38	39	39	38	36	42	39	45	40	42	44	52	57	53	55	51	50	
4.....	50	48	42	41	39	38	39	39	39	39	38	37	41	38	46	41	45	44	54	49	55	53	55	50	
5.....	50	48	43	42	39	39	38	39	39	39	38	37	42	40	46	41	45	43	56	50	57	52	55	52	
6.....	49	47	43	42	39	38	38	39	39	39	39	37	41	38	43	41	41	45	44	57	51	56	53	57	53
7.....	49	48	42	41	37	37	38	38	39	39	39	37	38	37	41	40	45	44	57	51	56	53	56	54	
8.....	50	49	41	41	37	36	39	38	39	39	39	37	40	38	39	37	40	38	46	44	56	52	53	54	
9.....	51	50	41	40	37	36	38	39	38	39	38	37	40	38	39	37	40	38	47	45	56	50	57	52	
10.....	50	49	43	41	37	37	39	39	39	39	38	39	40	38	42	39	50	44	57	51	57	51	55	51	
11.....	49	47	43	43	38	38	40	39	38	38	38	37	40	39	39	38	44	39	49	46	57	51	53	52	
12.....	48	47	43	43	39	38	40	39	38	39	38	37	40	38	39	37	45	39	48	46	57	51	53	52	
13.....	48	47	44	42	39	38	39	39	39	39	38	39	37	39	37	39	37	43	40	48	45	56	51	55	
14.....	47	45	42	42	38	38	37	40	39	39	39	37	41	38	44	41	41	46	46	56	53	52	55	52	
15.....	46	44	42	42	38	37	40	39	38	37	39	38	41	38	42	41	41	50	46	57	51	57	53	52	
16.....	46	44	42	41	38	38	40	40	37	36	38	37	41	39	43	41	50	45	57	51	58	53	54	52	
17.....	46	45	41	41	38	38	40	40	37	36	38	36	42	40	45	42	52	46	57	52	57	52	49	49	
18.....	47	45	41	40	39	38	40	39	38	37	35	38	37	43	39	44	42	50	46	58	52	59	53	50	
19.....	47	45	41	40	39	38	40	39	38	37	35	37	37	43	40	43	41	49	46	57	51	59	54	51	
20.....	48	46	44	40	39	38	39	39	39	37	35	36	40	44	41	41	49	46	57	51	59	54	53	50	
21.....	48	46	42	42	39	37	37	39	39	39	37	37	43	40	43	42	51	47	58	51	57	52	52	50	
22.....	48	47	43	43	37	37	37	39	39	39	37	37	41	40	44	41	41	47	58	52	55	52	52	51	
23.....	47	46	41	41	37	37	36	39	39	39	37	37	40	40	43	43	43	47	51	47	55	53	52	51	
24.....	48	46	41	41	36	36	35	39	39	39	37	36	39	38	44	42	52	47	56	51	53	52	51	49	
25.....	46	44	41	41	36	35	36	35	39	39	37	36	39	38	44	42	52	47	56	51	53	52	51	49	
26.....	45	44	41	41	36	36	35	39	39	37	36	37	41	40	44	41	41	47	51	52	55	51	50	48	
27.....	45	44	41	41	36	37	36	38	37	38	37	36	41	39	43	42	49	47	57	51	53	51	50	48	
28.....	45	44	41	41	36	37	36	38	38	37	36	37	41	39	48	43	49	47	58	51	52	51	50	48	
29.....	45	44	41	41	35	35	37	36	38	38	37	36	41	39	46	44	48	47	57	51	53	50	50	48	
30.....	46	45	41	41	35	35	36	36	38	38	37	36	40	38	45	43	50	47	57	52	55	51	48	48	
31.....	46	45	41	41	36	36	37	38	39	39	37	36	41	39	45	42	48	42	56	50	54	52	51	49	
Average.....	48	47	40	40	-	35	37	39	38	38	36	39	37	41	44	41	49	46	57	51	56	52	54	51	

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## BREITENBUSH RIVER ABOVE CANYON CREEK NEAR DETROIT, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station 600 feet upstream from mouth of Canyon Creek and 1½ miles (revised) northeast of Detroit, Marion County, 106 square miles.

DEBINING AREA.--Water temperatures: December 1950 to September 1953.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 57°F. Aug. 18, while recorder was removed for construction; minimum, 35°F Nov. 28 to Dec. 1. EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 58°F July 17, 1951; Aug. 4, 13, 14, 1952; minimum, 33°F Mar. 3-7, 1951.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																							
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	51	48	49	45	43	38	35	42	42	41	39	38	41	40	42	42	45	44	50	46	54	50	53	51
2.....	51	49	45	41	38	38	43	42	41	41	38	38	41	40	42	41	45	43	52	48	56	51	53	52
3.....	51	48	41	41	39	38	43	43	41	41	39	38	42	41	44	43	43	52	48	55	52	53	51	51
4.....	50	48	41	41	39	39	43	43	41	40	39	39	42	41	45	42	45	43	52	48	54	51	52	52
5.....	50	48	42	41	40	39	43	43	41	41	40	39	42	41	45	42	44	43	53	49	--	51	53	52
6.....	49	47	42	42	40	39	43	43	41	41	39	39	42	41	43	42	44	43	53	49	--	52	54	53
7.....	48	42	41	40	38	43	43	43	41	41	38	41	41	41	42	42	44	43	54	49	--	52	54	53
8.....	51	49	41	40	40	40	44	43	41	41	40	40	41	40	42	41	44	43	53	50	--	--	54	53
9.....	51	49	50	40	40	40	40	44	44	41	41	40	40	40	40	41	47	43	52	49	--	54	52	52
10.....	50	48	42	40	40	40	44	44	41	41	40	40	40	40	41	47	44	54	50	--	53	53	52	52
11.....	49	47	42	42	41	40	45	44	41	41	40	40	40	40	41	46	45	54	50	56	52	53	52	52
12.....	49	47	43	42	43	41	44	44	41	40	40	40	39	40	39	45	42	47	45	54	50	56	53	53
13.....	48	47	47	43	42	43	43	44	43	41	40	40	40	40	40	44	42	47	45	54	50	56	53	52
14.....	47	45	42	42	43	43	44	45	43	41	40	40	40	40	40	44	43	47	45	53	51	54	53	52
15.....	46	44	45	42	42	43	43	45	43	45	40	40	40	40	42	41	43	47	45	53	49	--	53	52
16.....	46	44	42	40	43	43	43	43	40	40	39	40	40	40	42	41	44	42	48	45	54	49	--	53
17.....	47	45	40	40	43	43	43	42	39	39	39	40	43	41	46	44	49	46	53	50	57	54	53	52
18.....	48	47	47	40	40	43	43	44	43	41	40	40	40	40	40	45	42	47	45	54	50	56	53	53
19.....	49	48	46	40	40	43	43	44	43	41	40	40	40	40	40	44	42	47	45	54	50	56	53	52
20.....	48	48	40	40	43	42	42	42	40	39	39	40	39	44	42	40	44	41	47	45	53	49	54	52
21.....	48	47	47	40	40	43	42	42	42	39	39	39	39	39	43	42	42	49	46	54	49	54	51	50
22.....	47	46	40	39	42	42	42	42	42	42	39	39	39	39	43	42	49	46	54	50	56	52	50	50
23.....	47	47	39	38	42	42	42	42	42	38	38	41	41	42	43	42	48	46	53	50	56	53	52	50
24.....	47	45	38	37	42	40	42	41	38	38	41	41	43	43	42	49	46	53	50	56	53	52	51	49
25.....	45	44	37	37	40	40	41	41	39	38	41	41	43	43	42	49	47	54	50	52	51	50	49	--
26.....	44	37	37	36	41	40	41	41	39	39	41	41	43	43	42	48	46	54	50	51	51	50	49	--
27.....	44	43	37	36	37	36	36	36	37	36	37	36	37	36	37	36	42	48	46	54	50	51	51	50
28.....	44	44	36	35	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	42	41	46	47	54	50	51	51	50	50
29.....	44	44	35	35	42	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	42	42	45	44	54	50	52	50	50	50
30.....	45	44	35	35	42	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	41	42	42	44	43	49	46	54	50	52	50
31.....	45	45	--	--	42	42	41	41	--	--	41	41	--	--	45	42	--	--	54	50	52	--	--	
Average.....	48	46	40	40	41	41	43	42	40	40	40	40	41	44	42	47	45	54	50	52	52	--	52	51





## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

LOCATION.—At bridge on Oregon Highway 22, 300 feet downstream from gaging station at Salem, Marion County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—7,380 square miles, approximately; August to December 1910, August 1911 to August 1912, February 1951 to September 1953.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: August to December 1910, August 1911 to August 1912, February 1951 to September 1953.

Water temperature: February 1951 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 69 ppm Nov. 1-30; minimum, 45 ppm Jan. 21-31.

Hardness: Maximum, 17 ppm Oct. 11-31; Aug. 1-10; minimum, 10 ppm Feb. 1-12.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 84.1 micromhos Sept. 20; minimum daily, 34.6 micromhos Jan. 20.

Water temperature: Maximum observed, 73°F Aug. 12-14; 19° minimum observed, 35°F Nov. 30.

EXTREMES, 1951-53.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 69 ppm Nov. 1-30; minimum, 43 ppm Apr. 21-30; 1952.

Hardness: Maximum, 28 ppm Sept. 16-20; 24.7 ppm Oct. 1-20; Oct. 11-31, 1953; Aug. 1-10, 1953; minimum, 16 ppm Dec. 1-10, 1951.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 71 micromhos Sept. 7, 1952; minimum daily, 34.6 micromhos Jan. 20, 1953.

Water temperature: Maximum observed, 75°F on many days during summer months; minimum observed, 35°F Nov. 30, 1952.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Ore. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)										Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non-carbonate calcium, magnesium, neuston	Percent sodium	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH	
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)						
Oct. 1-10, 1952	4,756	17	5.6	3.0	4.8	0.9	34	2.8	3.8	0.6	--	65	0.09	835	28	0.4	74.7
Oct. 11-31	4,263	16	6.2	3.1	4.4	.6	34	3.4	3.2	.5	--	67	.09	771	28	0	75.3
Nov. 1-30	3,983	18	6.0	2.7	4.8	.6	36	3.7	3.5	.4	--	69	.09	744	26	0	76.5
Dec. 1-10	12,430	16	5.8	3.0	3.7	1.5	31	3.4	3.5	.8	--	60	.08	2,010	27	1	66.0
Dec. 11-20	25,480	15	5.2	2.8	3.3	.9	28	3.0	2.9	1.0	--	54	.07	3,710	24	2	55.6
Dec. 21-31	13,080	17	5.6	2.6	3.4	.9	30	3.0	3.2	.9	--	60	.08	2,110	25	0	61.4
Jan. 1-10, 1953	39,340	14	4.7	2.3	3.2	.9	26	4.0	2.9	.8	--	59	.08	6,270	21	0	53.9
Jan. 11-20	118,400	12	5.1	1.9	3.3	1.5	26	3.5	3.1	.8	.04	52	.07	16,620	20	0	41.7
Jan. 21-31	115,500	13	2.0	1.1	2.9	1.1	26	2.9	2.2	.6	--	45	.06	14,030	19	0	43.4
Feb. 1-12	105,200	14	4.2	1.6	2.6	1.0	21	3.5	2.1	.4	--	50	.07	14,200	17	0	45.7
Feb. 13-28	48,020	15	5.0	1.6	3.2	1.0	22	4.0	2.4	.5	--	54	.07	7,000	19	1	54.3
Mar. 1-10	19,320	18	6.5	2.0	3.4	.9	30	3.0	3.0	.7	--	56	.08	3,000	24	0	61.4
Mar. 11-20	28,580	16	6.4	1.9	3.2	1.3	29	3.0	3.1	1.2	--	56	.08	4,320	24	0	55.9
Mar. 21-31	51,050	15	6.3	2.0	2.9	1.0	28	3.1	2.9	.7	--	52	.07	7,170	24	1	51.8
Apr. 1-10	24,090	17	5.9	2.0	3.2	1.0	29	3.0	3.0	.6	--	54	.07	3,510	23	0	58.6
Apr. 11-20	16,550	16	6.1	1.7	3.3	1.1	28	3.1	2.3	.8	.04	52	.07	2,610	22	0	59.5
Apr. 21-30	26,540	15	4.4	2.1	3.1	.9	24	2.5	2.2	.5	--	46	.06	3,300	19	0	50.4
May 1-10	28,950	15	4.5	2.0	3.1	.9	27	2.1	2.0	.5	--	46	.06	3,600	19	0	50.4
May 11-20	24,180	15	4.8	2.1	3.2	.9	27	2.1	2.3	.5	--	47	.06	3,070	21	0	52.5
May 21-30	42,350	15	4.6	2.5	3.1	.8	26	2.8	2.2	.6	--	48	.07	5,480	22	0	48.7

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WILLAMETTE RIVER AT SALEM, OREG.--Continued

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, water year October 1952 to September 1953--Continued

Date of collection	Mean discharge (cfs)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C.)										Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Specific conductance (micro-mhos at 25°C.)	Col- or pH							
		Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Cal-cium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Chloride (Cl)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per milliliter	Tons per day	Percent sodium carbonate	So-dium adsorption ratio				
June 1-10, 1953..	31,310	15	4.7	2.1	3.1	0.3	.6	.26	2.5	2.2	0.5	--	.47	0.06	3,970	20	0	24	0.3	50.4	--
June 11-20 .....	20,480	15	4.6	2.1	3.1	0.3	.6	.26	2.2	2.2	.5	--	.48	.07	3,430	20	0	24	.3	50.6	--
June 21-30 .....	15,350	16	5.1	2.2	3.4	.6	.6	.28	2.7	2.3	.5	--	.51	.07	2,110	22	0	25	.3	55.2	--
July 1-10 .....	11,890	17	5.6	2.4	3.6	1.0	3.4	4.3	2.4	2.4	.4	--	.50	.07	1,610	24	0	24	.3	60.4	--
July 11-20 .....	9,006	19	6.4	2.4	3.9	1.0	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	.4	0.08	.54	.07	1,310	26	0	24	.3	64.8	--
July 21-31 .....	6,684	20	6.3	2.4	4.2	1.4	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.4	.5	--	.59	.08	1,060	26	0	25	.4	69.9	--
Aug. 1-10 .....	6,099	19	6.6	2.7	4.4	1.4	3.3	4.8	3.3	3.3	.5	--	.59	.08	972	28	0	25	.4	70.6	--
Aug. 11-20 .....	5,487	18	6.0	2.4	4.8	1.3	3.4	3.6	3.2	3.2	.5	--	.61	.08	904	25	0	28	.4	73.5	--
Aug. 21-31 .....	6,422	18	5.9	2.3	4.6	1.3	3.6	3.0	2.9	2.9	.5	--	.59	.08	1,020	24	0	28	.4	69.6	--
Sept. 1-10 .....	6,116	17	6.0	2.3	4.6	1.3	3.6	3.4	2.8	2.8	.5	--	.57	.08	941	24	0	28	.4	69.3	--
Sept. 11-20 .....	5,772	16	6.4	2.4	4.8	1.3	3.6	4.1	3.3	3.3	.5	--	.60	.08	935	26	0	28	.4	74.4	--
Sept. 21-30 .....	5,387	16	5.8	2.2	4.8	1.3	3.6	3.7	3.3	3.3	.8	--	.60	.08	970	24	0	29	.4	72.1	--
Weighted average	26,770	15	5.0	2.0	3.2	1.0	.26	3.2	2.6	2.6	0.6	--	.52	0.07	3,760	21	0	24	* 0.3	51.5	--

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN

## WILLAMETTE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WILLAMETTE RIVER AT SALEM, OREG.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	66	51	37	41	47	46	48	50	56	62	70	69
2	67	51	38	42	47	45	49	50	55	64	68	69
3	65	51	39	40	48	45	51	51	56	--	69	67
4	65	50	37	44	47	47	51	51	56	68	67	68
5	65	49	42	--	47	47	50	60	55	70	68	68
6	66	49	42	43	47	48	50	58	55	70	68	68
7	65	48	42	44	47	48	49	55	55	72	69	68
8	64	47	42	45	47	49	48	53	55	71	68	68
9	62	48	41	48	47	50	48	52	54	71	70	68
10	63	--	43	48	45	48	49	52	56	70	71	68
11	62	48	44	48	45	48	49	54	59	71	72	67
12	66	48	47	48	46	47	50	56	58	70	73	67
13	61	48	41	48	46	47	50	55	58	70	73	69
14	60	47	42	47	45	47	51	55	60	69	73	70
15	59	46	42	46	45	46	51	54	60	68	71	70
16	59	45	41	47	45	46	52	53	61	71	72	--
17	59	45	45	48	45	45	53	54	62	71	71	66
18	58	44	45	49	45	45	54	54	61	71	72	65
19	59	44	40	49	44	47	55	54	59	69	73	65
20	59	45	41	48	45	45	57	54	57	69	71	65
21	60	44	45	47	46	45	57	53	58	69	70	65
22	59	43	45	46	45	49	55	51	58	68	69	64
23	59	43	43	48	45	48	54	50	50	69	69	63
24	57	40	--	47	45	48	54	52	61	69	67	64
25	57	40	--	46	46	48	54	52	61	68	69	63
26	55	39	44	45	46	48	54	53	61	69	69	63
27	55	38	45	45	47	48	53	53	60	69	63	63
28	53	37	41	45	47	49	51	55	61	69	62	62
29	53	36	38	46	--	49	50	54	61	70	68	61
30	54	35	42	47	--	49	50	55	61	70	68	60
31	53	--	42	47	--	48	--	55	--	69	69	--
Average	60	45	42	46	46	47	52	53	58	69	69	66

## LEWIS RIVER BASIN

## LEWIS RIVER AT ARIEL, WASH.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, at Ariel, Cowlitz County, half a mile downstream from Ariel Dam and power plant and 3 miles upstream from Cedar Creek.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—731 square miles.  
 RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: October 1950 to September 1953; Maximum, 59° F Oct. 2; minimum, 40° F Mar. 31, Apr. 1, 2, 4, 5, 15.  
 EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 61° F Oct. 2-5, 1951; minimum, 37° F Feb. 6-16, 1951.  
 REMARKS.—Records of dielectric for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	--	--	55	54	49	49	44	44	42	42	41	41	40	40	44	44	46	46	49	48	--	--	--	--
2.....	59	53	55	53	49	49	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	46	46	49	49	--	--	--	--
3.....	57	53	55	54	49	49	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	46	46	49	49	--	--	--	--
4.....	57	53	55	54	49	49	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	46	46	49	49	--	--	--	--
5.....	56	53	55	54	48	48	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	46	46	49	49	--	--	--	--
6.....	57	53	55	54	48	48	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	46	46	49	49	--	--	--	--
7.....	56	54	54	54	48	48	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	47	47	47	47	--	--	--	--
8.....	57	54	54	54	48	48	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	47	47	47	47	--	--	--	--
9.....	55	56	55	56	48	48	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	47	47	47	47	--	--	--	--
10.....	56	54	56	55	47	47	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	47	47	47	47	--	--	--	--
11.....	55	54	55	55	47	47	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	47	47	47	47	--	--	--	--
12.....	56	54	56	55	47	47	44	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	47	47	47	47	--	--	--	--
13.....	56	54	56	55	47	47	44	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	47	47	47	47	--	--	--	--
14.....	55	53	56	55	47	46	44	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	44	44	46	46	48	48	--	--	--	--
15.....	56	53	56	54	46	46	44	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	45	45	48	48	48	48	--	--	--	--
16.....	55	52	54	54	44	44	43	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	46	45	48	48	48	48	--	--	--	--
17.....	55	53	55	54	44	44	43	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	46	46	48	48	48	48	--	--	--	--
18.....	55	53	55	54	44	44	43	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	46	46	48	48	48	48	--	--	--	--
19.....	55	55	55	54	45	44	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	43	43	46	46	48	48	--	--	--	--
20.....	55	53	54	53	45	44	42	42	42	42	41	42	42	42	43	43	46	46	48	48	--	--	--	--
21.....	55	53	52	44	43	42	42	41	42	42	41	42	42	42	43	43	46	45	48	48	--	--	--	--
22.....	55	53	53	51	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	42	42	42	43	43	45	45	48	48	--	--	--	--
23.....	55	55	51	51	44	44	42	42	41	41	42	42	42	42	43	43	45	45	48	48	--	--	--	--
24.....	56	55	52	51	44	45	43	43	42	42	41	41	42	42	43	42	45	45	48	48	--	--	--	--
25.....	55	53	52	51	43	43	42	42	41	42	41	42	42	42	43	42	45	45	48	48	--	--	--	--
26.....	55	53	52	50	43	43	42	42	41	42	41	42	41	42	43	43	45	45	48	48	--	--	--	--
27.....	56	55	51	49	44	43	42	42	41	41	41	41	41	41	44	44	45	45	48	48	--	--	--	--
28.....	56	54	51	48	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	41	41	44	44	45	45	49	49	--	--	--	--
29.....	56	55	51	49	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	41	41	44	44	45	45	49	49	--	--	--	--
30.....	56	55	50	49	44	44	42	42	41	41	41	41	41	41	44	44	46	45	49	49	--	--	--	--
31.....	56	55	--	--	44	44	42	42	--	--	41	40	--	--	46	46	47	45	48	47	--	--	--	--
Average.....	56	54	54	53	46	46	43	43	42	42	41	41	42	42	45	45	48	47	47	47	--	--	--	--

## LEWIS RIVER BASIN--Continued

## EAST FORK LEWIS RIVER NEAR HEISSON, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gauging station, downstream from Basket Creek, 1½ miles northeast of Heisson, Lewis County, and 20 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.--125 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: June 1950 to June 1953.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 60°F Oct. 3; minimum, 33°F Nov. 24 to Dec. 3.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 74°F Aug. 4, 1952; minimum, 33°F Jan. 31, Feb. 1, 1951, Nov. 24 to Dec. 3, 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, October 1952 to June 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, October 1952 to June 1953											
	October		November		December		January		February		March	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.	59	55	50	48	33	31	41	41	44	43	41	44
2.	59	56	48	46	33	43	44	44	43	40	40	45
3.	60	57	46	44	37	33	43	43	44	45	43	47
4.	59	56	45	44	39	37	43	42	44	43	41	46
5.	58	55	44	43	39	42	41	42	44	43	41	46
6.	58	55	45	45	39	39	41	40	44	43	42	44
7.	56	55	45	44	40	39	41	41	45	44	42	42
8.	57	56	44	43	40	40	44	41	44	42	43	46
9.	57	56	43	42	41	40	44	43	42	41	46	46
10.	57	55	44	42	41	41	43	43	42	41	45	45
11.	56	54	45	44	43	41	45	43	43	42	45	44
12.	55	53	45	45	43	43	45	45	43	41	43	43
13.	53	51	45	45	43	43	45	44	43	41	42	42
14.	53	51	45	43	43	41	44	44	43	42	43	42
15.	52	50	43	41	40	40	44	44	42	41	42	42
16.	51	49	39	41	39	41	40	44	42	41	45	45
17.	51	49	39	41	39	41	40	44	42	41	45	47
18.	52	50	39	39	40	39	44	44	42	41	42	42
19.	53	51	37	40	39	44	44	44	42	41	42	43
20.	53	53	38	37	40	40	44	44	42	41	44	43
21.	54	53	38	37	40	40	44	44	42	41	43	42
22.	53	53	37	36	40	40	44	44	42	41	43	43
23.	53	53	36	35	40	39	44	44	41	39	47	43
24.	53	53	35	33	39	39	37	44	44	41	46	46
25.	53	50	33	33	37	36	44	44	43	41	39	43
26.	50	48	33	33	36	36	43	41	42	40	45	41
27.	49	48	33	37	36	42	41	43	42	41	47	48
28.	48	48	33	33	38	37	43	42	43	41	44	47
29.	48	48	33	33	38	38	43	43	44	44	46	46
30.	50	48	33	33	41	41	44	43	43	44	42	43
31.	50	--	--	41	41	44	--	--	42	41	--	--
Average.....	54	52	41	40	39	43	43	43	42	42	46	46

## COWLITZ RIVER BASIN

## CISPUS RIVER NEAR RANDLE, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 60 feet upstream from bridge to Tower Rock ranger station, 4 miles downstream from North Fork, and 8 miles southeast of Randle, Lewis County.

DRAING AREA.--321 square miles (revised).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperature: May 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 58° F on several days in August, 1952; Minimum, 35° F several days in January, Nov. 28-30, and Dec. 25, 1952.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperature: Maximum, 61° F Aug. 4, 9, 10, 15, 1952; minimum, 35° F several days in August, 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1	52	47	46	44	40	36	39	36	40	40	37	37	44	39	42	41	45	43	50	45	48	53	50	50
2	53	47	44	42	41	40	39	40	40	39	39	44	39	41	41	45	43	52	47	57	50	56	50	50
3	53	47	45	43	41	40	38	40	37	40	41	39	42	40	47	42	46	44	52	48	56	55	49	48
4	53	47	47	44	42	41	40	38	40	37	40	41	40	47	43	47	43	44	52	48	56	55	48	48
5	52	47	45	43	41	40	39	38	40	40	41	40	43	41	47	43	44	43	52	48	57	51	56	49
6	52	47	45	43	41	40	39	38	37	41	40	41	40	42	40	44	42	45	44	52	48	56	56	50
7	51	47	45	42	39	39	38	39	38	39	41	44	40	41	40	43	42	41	46	43	53	49	52	51
8	51	48	44	42	39	38	39	39	41	41	41	44	40	41	41	43	42	40	46	43	50	56	55	51
9	51	49	43	41	39	39	41	41	41	41	39	38	43	40	44	39	42	40	46	43	52	48	56	49
10	52	49	45	43	39	38	--	--	39	39	42	41	43	39	42	41	48	44	54	52	55	48	48	48
11	52	47	45	43	38	38	--	--	40	39	42	41	41	39	47	45	40	47	45	54	49	57	50	54
12	51	46	45	43	40	38	--	--	40	39	42	40	41	39	47	42	46	44	54	49	57	50	54	50
13	50	46	45	43	39	39	--	--	40	39	41	39	41	39	46	42	44	43	51	50	57	50	55	49
14	49	45	43	42	39	38	--	--	40	39	40	38	43	39	45	43	47	43	50	49	58	51	54	49
15	48	45	43	41	39	37	--	--	39	39	41	39	44	39	43	42	47	45	51	48	57	52	54	49
16	48	44	41	39	39	39	--	--	39	39	40	38	43	41	45	43	48	44	53	48	55	51	50	48
17	50	45	41	39	39	40	39	--	39	41	39	41	38	47	40	45	47	45	55	50	56	50	51	47
18	50	47	43	41	39	38	--	--	40	39	41	39	47	41	43	46	44	55	50	57	50	52	46	46
19	51	48	42	40	40	39	--	--	40	38	43	39	46	43	43	42	45	44	52	50	58	51	53	48
20	49	48	43	42	40	39	--	--	39	41	40	46	42	44	41	45	44	55	49	53	51	52	47	47
21	50	47	43	40	39	39	--	--	39	39	41	40	44	43	43	42	46	45	55	50	55	49	52	46
22	50	46	40	38	39	36	40	39	36	40	39	38	40	39	43	41	44	42	41	47	45	55	48	47
23	49	46	43	40	38	38	37	41	40	39	37	45	40	42	41	44	41	46	45	55	50	52	47	47
24	50	47	38	37	37	36	41	41	40	37	42	40	43	41	44	40	42	46	45	55	53	50	48	46
25	47	45	38	37	36	35	41	40	37	42	40	43	41	45	41	46	45	53	50	51	48	50	46	46
26	47	44	38	37	36	36	40	39	38	43	42	43	41	44	43	46	45	54	49	51	49	47	45	45
27	48	45	38	37	36	35	39	39	40	39	38	42	41	43	41	44	43	46	46	55	50	50	48	47
28	47	45	37	35	38	38	39	39	38	40	38	43	41	40	46	43	47	46	54	50	50	48	48	47
29	46	43	36	35	35	35	39	38	40	39	38	44	41	41	39	43	47	46	56	53	48	48	46	46
30	48	46	36	35	35	39	40	39	40	40	40	41	44	41	44	42	47	46	56	50	55	49	48	47
31	47	46	35	34	39	39	41	40	37	42	39	--	--	42	39	--	--	55	53	51	--	--	--	--
Average.....	50	46	42	40	39	38	--	--	40	39	42	40	43	40	44	42	46	44	53	49	55	50	52	48



## COWLITZ RIVER BASIN--Continued

## RAINY CREEK NEAR KOSMOS, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 25 feet upstream from county bridge and 2 miles northeast of Kosmos, Lewis County.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.--17.5 square miles.  
 RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: August 1950 to September 1952. Maximum, 62°F July 7, 1953; minimum, 36°F Dec. 25, 1952.  
 EXTREMES 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 67°F Aug. 12, 1952; minimum, 36°F Jan. 28, 1952. March 3, 1951, Dec. 25, 1952.  
 REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Rainy Creek												Kosmos																						
	October			November			December			January			February			March			April			May			June			July			August			September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	
1.....	58	50	48	45	40	38	40	40	43	42	41	39	46	41	47	41	49	45	50	47	58	52	60	55	57	57	55	57	57	57	56				
2.....	59	50	48	45	40	40	41	40	43	43	41	39	47	41	45	43	54	46	52	48	58	53	59	56	57	57	54	56	58	56	58	55			
3.....	59	50	49	46	40	40	42	41	43	42	43	41	45	42	55	48	53	49	58	52	58	52	59	57	58	56	58	56	58	56	58	55			
4.....	59	50	49	46	40	40	42	40	43	42	43	42	45	43	55	48	50	47	60	52	59	57	58	57	58	56	58	56	58	56	58	55			
5.....	59	50	48	46	40	40	42	40	43	42	43	42	45	43	55	48	50	47	60	52	59	57	58	57	58	56	58	56	58	56	58	55			
6.....	58	50	49	46	40	40	42	40	43	42	43	42	45	42	45	42	48	50	49	61	54	59	57	59	57	58	56	58	56	58	55				
7.....	56	50	46	44	40	40	41	40	44	43	45	41	44	41	45	41	47	52	50	52	55	56	60	57	58	56	58	56	58	55	57	56			
8.....	56	52	47	44	40	40	42	41	43	41	46	41	44	42	47	46	48	53	50	52	57	60	58	59	57	58	56	58	56	58	55				
9.....	54	51	47	45	40	39	43	42	44	41	40	45	42	46	43	45	41	48	45	53	48	60	56	58	56	58	55	57	55	57	56				
10.....	56	49	49	47	40	40	42	41	42	40	45	43	45	43	46	41	48	45	55	49	62	56	60	64	57	55	56	58	56	58	55				
11.....	56	49	48	47	40	39	43	42	42	41	44	43	44	43	44	43	45	52	44	55	51	62	56	61	56	58	56	58	56	58	55				
12.....	55	48	47	45	40	40	43	42	43	42	41	43	42	43	42	43	42	54	46	51	51	61	56	61	57	55	56	58	56	58	55				
13.....	54	47	46	45	43	42	43	43	43	41	43	41	43	42	43	41	43	42	52	46	51	50	60	57	60	56	57	55	56	58	55				
14.....	54	48	46	45	40	39	43	43	43	42	41	39	45	42	41	43	42	47	51	47	56	48	57	55	61	57	55	57	55	57	54				
15.....	53	45	45	43	40	39	43	43	43	41	43	41	47	41	47	41	47	46	54	50	57	55	61	59	57	55	57	55	57	55					
16.....	52	44	43	40	41	40	43	43	41	41	43	41	46	44	48	47	48	47	56	50	60	52	59	57	56	54	52	54	52	54	52				
17.....	52	45	42	40	44	44	43	42	41	43	40	49	43	40	49	43	48	47	55	51	61	55	59	56	54	52	54	52	54	52					
18.....	53	48	44	42	40	39	44	44	42	41	43	41	49	43	43	41	48	47	53	50	61	57	60	56	54	52	54	52	54	52					
19.....	54	51	44	41	41	39	44	44	41	40	44	41	50	46	48	47	47	51	50	50	55	61	58	56	54	52	54	52	54	52					
20.....	52	50	45	43	41	41	44	44	42	41	44	42	51	45	50	45	51	49	53	50	57	55	61	58	56	54	52	54	52						
21.....	56	51	43	40	41	40	44	43	42	41	43	42	48	45	49	45	49	47	53	50	60	54	58	55	54	52	54	52	54	52					
22.....	54	48	40	38	40	38	43	43	42	41	43	42	46	45	48	46	48	45	55	50	59	55	58	55	54	52	54	52	54	52					
23.....	53	51	39	37	39	39	44	43	41	39	47	46	44	42	47	46	44	48	52	50	58	54	58	55	54	52	54	52	54	52					
24.....	52	49	39	38	39	39	44	44	42	41	39	46	43	49	42	47	46	48	52	50	58	53	57	54	52	50	54	52	54	52					
25.....	51	46	38	37	37	36	44	43	42	39	45	42	47	45	50	45	52	50	57	55	55	56	54	51	50	54	52	54	52						
26.....	48	45	39	38	37	37	43	41	41	39	46	41	47	45	49	46	51	50	58	56	55	54	58	55	53	51	54	52	54	52					
27.....	51	46	39	38	39	38	44	42	41	42	41	45	43	47	45	49	46	51	50	59	55	56	55	54	52	51	53	51	54	52					
28.....	50	45	38	37	37	37	41	41	41	42	41	46	43	47	42	45	43	52	50	59	55	56	55	54	52	51	53	51	54	52					
29.....	48	47	39	37	37	36	42	41	41	42	42	42	47	42	45	43	49	48	53	50	59	55	57	54	52	51	53	51	54	52					
30.....	50	48	39	38	38	38	42	41	42	42	42	42	47	43	49	47	53	51	52	55	55	57	54	52	51	50	53	51	54	52					
31.....	49	46	--	--	--	--	42	41	43	42	--	--	43	41	--	--	52	45	--	--	56	55	57	56	--	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Average.....	54	48	44	42	40	39	43	42	42	41	44	41	46	43	49	46	53	49	59	54	59	56	55	53	51	54	52	54	52	53					

## COWLITZ RIVER BASIN

## COWLITZ RIVER BASIN--Continued

## WEST FORK TILTON RIVER NEAR MORTON, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gauging station, three-quarters of a mile upstream from mouth and 4 miles northeast of Morton, Lewis County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--16.4 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: August 1950 to September 1953, Maximum, 62°F; Aug. 19, minimum, 33°F Nov. 26 to Dec. 1.

EXTREMES 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 66°F; Aug. 12, 1952; minimum, 33°F Nov. 26 to Dec. 1, 1952.

EXTREMES 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 66°F; Aug. 12, 1952; minimum, 33°F Nov. 26 to Dec. 1, 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953											
	October		November		December		January		February		March	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	54	52	47	45	34	33	39	38	40	40	39	38
2.....	54	52	45	43	36	34	40	39	40	39	42	41
3.....	52	44	43	37	36	42	41	40	40	40	44	41
4.....	53	52	45	43	38	37	42	40	40	40	45	43
5.....	53	52	45	45	38	38	42	41	40	40	45	43
6.....	53	52	44	44	38	38	41	41	40	40	41	39
7.....	53	51	44	42	38	38	41	41	40	40	41	39
8.....	53	51	44	42	38	38	41	41	40	40	41	39
9.....	53	51	42	41	37	42	41	40	40	40	41	39
10.....	53	51	41	40	38	37	42	42	40	40	41	39
11.....	54	52	43	41	38	38	43	42	40	40	41	39
12.....	53	51	43	43	38	38	43	43	40	40	41	39
13.....	52	51	43	42	40	38	43	43	40	40	41	39
14.....	51	50	43	43	41	41	43	43	39	39	41	39
15.....	50	48	42	42	41	41	43	43	39	41	40	39
16.....	49	47	42	41	40	43	42	42	40	40	40	38
17.....	48	47	41	39	41	40	43	43	38	37	40	39
18.....	48	47	40	39	41	40	43	43	38	37	40	39
19.....	50	48	40	40	40	40	43	43	40	40	41	39
20.....	51	50	40	40	40	40	43	43	43	40	40	41
21.....	52	50	40	40	40	40	43	43	42	42	41	40
22.....	52	51	38	37	39	36	42	42	40	40	41	39
23.....	50	50	36	35	38	38	42	42	40	40	40	39
24.....	51	50	35	34	38	38	42	42	39	39	40	39
25.....	49	47	34	34	38	37	42	41	39	40	41	39
26.....	47	46	34	33	38	37	41	41	39	40	42	41
27.....	46	45	33	33	38	38	41	40	39	40	42	42
28.....	45	45	33	33	38	38	40	40	40	40	42	41
29.....	46	45	33	33	38	38	40	40	--	--	47	46
30.....	47	46	33	33	39	39	41	40	--	--	46	46
31.....	47	47	--	--	39	39	41	40	--	--	46	45
Average.....	51	50	40	39	39	38	42	41	40	39	40	39

## COWLITZ RIVER BASIN--Continued

## COWLITZ RIVER NEAR MAYFIELD, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 1 mile upstream from Mill Creek, 2 miles downstream from Winston Creek, and 2½ miles west of Mayfield, Lewis County.

DRAINAGE AREA.--1,401 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: October 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 65°F July 19, Aug. 14, 15, 19, 20; minimum, 37°F Dec. 4, 24-28.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 67°F Aug. 5, 9-13, 1952; minimum, 35°F Jan. 29-31, Feb. 1, 2, 1951.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																							
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	57	55	48	47	--	--	40	40	42	41	41	41	--	--	--	--	48	47	52	51	57	53	62	60
2.....	57	55	--	--	--	--	40	40	41	41	40	40	--	--	--	--	50	48	52	51	60	55	62	60
3.....	57	55	--	--	--	--	39	37	40	40	40	40	--	--	--	--	54	50	53	51	60	57	62	61
4.....	57	55	--	--	--	--	39	39	40	39	40	40	--	--	--	--	56	53	53	52	59	56	62	61
5.....	57	55	--	--	--	--	39	39	40	39	40	41	--	--	--	--	56	54	53	52	58	55	62	61
6.....	57	55	--	--	--	--	39	39	39	39	39	39	--	--	--	--	55	50	51	50	61	57	62	62
7.....	56	54	--	--	--	--	39	39	39	39	39	39	--	--	--	--	50	49	51	51	61	57	60	63
8.....	56	54	--	--	--	--	39	39	41	39	41	41	--	--	--	--	50	49	51	50	61	58	61	62
9.....	55	54	--	--	--	--	39	39	41	41	41	41	--	--	--	--	46	45	46	45	53	50	59	62
10.....	54	53	--	--	--	--	40	39	41	40	40	40	--	--	--	--	50	49	54	51	61	57	61	61
11.....	55	52	--	--	--	--	40	41	40	41	40	41	--	--	--	--	45	44	44	44	53	49	55	52
12.....	52	--	--	--	--	--	40	40	41	41	41	41	--	--	--	--	44	43	43	43	56	52	62	60
13.....	52	--	--	--	--	--	40	40	41	41	41	41	--	--	--	--	43	43	42	42	56	54	64	62
14.....	43	40	--	--	--	--	43	40	41	41	41	41	--	--	--	--	43	42	43	42	55	53	65	62
15.....	43	41	--	--	--	--	43	41	39	38	41	41	--	--	--	--	42	42	42	42	53	51	58	57
16.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	38	41	41	--	--	--	--	42	42	42	42	52	51	54	51
17.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	38	41	41	--	--	--	--	42	41	46	46	52	51	60	55
18.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	38	41	41	--	--	--	--	41	41	46	46	51	51	60	57
19.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	38	41	41	--	--	--	--	44	41	50	49	54	52	63	61
20.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	38	42	42	--	--	--	--	44	43	52	50	50	49	65	60
21.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	38	42	42	--	--	--	--	43	43	52	49	51	51	62	59
22.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	38	42	42	--	--	--	--	43	43	49	47	51	50	63	61
23.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	37	42	42	--	--	--	--	49	46	50	49	55	53	61	57
24.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	39	41	41	--	--	--	--	49	46	50	49	53	52	61	58
25.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	37	42	42	--	--	--	--	48	48	53	49	53	52	61	57
26.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	37	42	41	--	--	--	--	48	47	54	52	53	53	65	57
27.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	37	41	41	--	--	--	--	48	47	53	51	53	52	61	57
28.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	37	41	40	--	--	--	--	47	46	52	51	54	52	61	57
29.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	38	40	40	--	--	--	--	47	46	52	51	55	53	61	57
30.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	39	41	40	--	--	--	--	48	46	51	50	54	53	60	56
31.....	49	48	--	--	--	--	40	40	42	41	41	41	--	--	--	--	52	50	53	51	61	58	62	58
Average.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	38	38	41	41	41	--	--	--	--	52	50	53	51	61	58	62	58

## TOUTLE RIVER NEAR SILVER LAKE, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gauging station, half a mile downstream from confluence of North and South Forks and 5 miles northeast of Silver Lake, Cowlitz County, Washington. Drainage area, 174 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: October 1950 to September 1953. Maximum, 69° F Aug. 4, 1952; minimum, 33° F Nov. 1-3, Nov. 29, 30, 1952.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 72° F Aug. 4, 1952; minimum, 33° F Jan. 1-3, Nov. 29, 30, 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	58	53	48	47	38	35	40	40	45	43	41	39	46	42	47	45	51	48	--	--	--	--	58	57
2.....	58	53	47	44	39	36	43	40	44	44	41	41	46	42	48	45	52	48	--	--	--	--	63	56
3.....	58	53	46	44	39	39	42	41	44	44	42	41	46	44	54	47	51	48	--	--	--	--	63	57
4.....	58	53	46	44	39	41	41	41	44	43	44	42	45	44	56	51	51	49	--	--	--	--	63	56
5.....	57	52	48	48	40	40	41	40	44	43	44	44	46	44	57	51	51	48	--	--	--	--	64	57
6.....	57	52	48	46	40	40	39	45	44	45	44	45	43	55	50	50	49	--	--	--	--	62	59	
7.....	55	52	46	45	40	41	40	45	45	45	45	44	44	42	51	49	50	49	--	--	--	--	61	59
8.....	57	53	45	42	40	40	43	41	43	47	44	44	42	49	47	51	48	--	--	--	--	62	59	
9.....	56	53	43	41	41	40	43	42	43	41	46	44	44	43	47	45	52	48	--	--	--	--	64	57
10.....	54	51	47	43	41	40	42	41	42	41	46	46	44	40	48	45	50	50	--	--	--	--	64	57
11.....	53	52	47	47	45	42	40	43	42	43	42	43	45	43	42	45	57	51	--	--	--	--	69	62
12.....	53	50	47	47	45	43	42	43	43	43	43	43	45	44	42	41	55	50	--	--	--	--	69	61
13.....	52	49	46	45	42	41	43	43	43	43	43	43	45	44	42	41	53	50	--	--	--	--	69	63
14.....	51	47	45	44	41	41	43	43	43	43	43	43	44	42	44	41	50	52	--	--	--	--	68	61
15.....	50	46	44	42	39	39	43	43	43	42	43	42	43	43	44	40	52	49	--	--	--	--	68	57
16.....	50	46	42	42	40	41	39	43	43	43	42	43	42	43	42	46	45	50	--	--	--	--	67	63
17.....	51	47	41	40	41	40	44	43	43	42	44	41	41	47	45	49	57	50	--	--	--	--	64	60
18.....	52	48	43	41	40	40	44	44	43	42	43	43	43	49	45	49	56	53	--	--	--	--	65	59
19.....	54	51	42	42	41	41	40	44	44	43	42	43	43	43	49	48	53	50	--	--	--	--	67	60
20.....	53	51	44	42	41	40	44	44	43	41	45	45	42	50	48	48	51	49	--	--	--	--	69	61
21.....	53	52	42	39	40	40	44	43	43	42	44	43	51	47	50	47	53	50	--	--	--	--	65	60
22.....	53	52	39	37	41	40	43	43	43	41	44	43	47	46	49	46	51	51	--	--	--	--	64	58
23.....	53	52	37	37	40	38	45	43	41	39	48	43	47	45	48	46	53	50	--	--	--	--	62	59
24.....	53	51	37	37	38	36	45	44	41	40	47	45	49	43	50	47	46	52	--	--	--	--	59	56
25.....	51	48	37	36	36	35	45	43	41	40	45	43	40	47	51	46	54	51	--	--	--	--	57	50
26.....	48	46	37	36	37	36	43	42	41	40	46	43	49	47	51	48	52	50	--	--	--	--	58	52
27.....	49	46	36	37	37	36	42	42	43	41	46	45	49	46	50	47	51	50	--	--	--	--	56	51
28.....	49	46	35	34	39	38	42	42	43	40	46	45	46	45	50	47	52	50	--	--	--	--	55	54
29.....	49	48	34	33	41	39	43	42	42	40	47	44	46	44	50	48	51	51	--	--	--	--	60	51
30.....	51	49	35	35	41	41	43	43	43	41	46	43	48	45	50	47	52	50	--	--	--	--	61	52
31.....	51	47	--	--	41	40	45	43	--	--	44	43	--	--	52	45	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	50
Average.....	53	50	43	41	40	39	43	42	43	42	45	43	46	44	50	47	51	48	--	--	--	--	60	55

## COWLITZ RIVER BASIN--Continued

## COWLITZ RIVER AT CASTLE ROCK, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, at highway bridge in Castle Rock, Cowlitz County, 2½ miles downstream from Toutle River and 14 miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA.--2,238 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: August 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 67°F Aug. 12-16; minimum, 34°F Nov. 28 to Dec. 1.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 72°F Aug. 21, 1951; minimum, freezing point on Jan. 29, 30, 1951.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																							
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	63	57	49	47	36	34	42	42	--	--	43	43	46	45	47	46	52	52	55	54	64	64	61	61
2.....	63	56	48	46	39	36	43	42	--	--	43	43	47	46	47	47	52	52	57	55	65	64	62	62
3.....	63	56	49	47	40	39	44	43	--	--	43	43	48	47	51	47	53	52	57	57	65	65	64	63
4.....	63	56	49	47	42	40	44	43	--	--	44	43	48	47	53	51	53	53	52	58	57	66	66	64
5.....	63	55	50	49	42	42	43	43	--	--	45	44	47	47	55	53	52	52	58	57	66	66	65	64
6.....	63	55	51	48	42	42	43	42	--	--	45	45	47	47	55	52	52	52	59	58	66	66	65	65
7.....	60	55	50	47	42	42	42	42	--	--	46	45	47	46	52	50	52	52	60	59	66	66	64	64
8.....	60	56	48	45	42	42	42	42	--	--	47	46	47	46	50	49	52	51	60	60	66	65	64	64
9.....	58	55	45	42	42	42	42	42	--	--	47	47	47	46	49	47	53	51	51	59	58	65	65	64
10.....	57	53	46	45	42	42	42	42	--	--	47	47	47	46	48	46	54	53	59	58	66	65	65	64
11.....	58	53	48	46	42	42	42	42	--	--	47	47	47	47	50	48	55	53	61	56	66	66	64	64
12.....	57	51	47	46	44	42	42	42	--	--	47	47	47	46	53	50	55	52	61	61	67	66	65	63
13.....	57	51	47	46	44	44	44	44	--	--	47	46	46	46	53	53	52	51	61	59	67	67	64	64
14.....	57	49	46	45	44	42	42	42	--	--	46	46	46	45	53	52	51	51	60	59	67	67	63	63
15.....	54	48	47	46	42	40	40	40	--	--	45	45	47	46	52	50	53	51	59	58	67	67	66	63
16.....	52	47	45	44	41	40	40	40	--	--	45	45	48	47	50	49	54	53	59	58	67	65	64	62
17.....	52	48	44	42	41	41	41	41	--	--	45	44	48	48	51	50	54	54	61	59	65	65	62	61
18.....	52	48	45	43	42	41	41	41	--	--	45	45	49	48	51	50	54	53	61	61	66	66	62	60
19.....	54	51	44	43	42	41	41	41	--	--	46	45	51	49	50	50	53	52	61	61	67	66	62	60
20.....	52	51	46	43	42	41	41	41	--	--	43	43	46	46	52	51	51	50	61	59	67	67	62	60
21.....	52	50	45	41	42	42	42	42	--	--	43	43	46	45	52	51	52	51	61	60	67	66	61	59
22.....	53	52	43	40	42	42	42	42	--	--	43	43	46	45	52	49	51	53	52	62	62	66	66	60
23.....	53	53	40	39	42	41	41	41	--	--	43	43	47	46	49	48	51	51	53	52	60	60	59	58
24.....	54	52	39	39	41	39	41	41	--	--	42	42	47	47	48	47	51	50	54	52	60	60	59	58
25.....	53	51	40	39	39	37	37	37	--	--	42	42	47	47	48	48	52	50	53	52	61	61	58	57
26.....	52	50	39	37	38	38	38	38	--	--	43	42	47	46	48	48	54	52	53	53	61	62	57	55
27.....	51	48	39	36	39	38	38	38	--	--	43	43	47	47	49	48	54	52	53	53	62	61	55	55
28.....	50	48	37	34	39	39	39	39	--	--	43	43	47	47	49	47	53	52	53	53	63	62	61	60
29.....	50	49	34	34	41	41	41	41	--	--	43	43	47	47	46	46	53	52	55	55	63	62	56	55
30.....	51	50	34	34	43	43	43	43	--	--	43	43	47	47	46	46	53	52	55	55	63	62	55	55
31.....	50	49	--	--	43	42	42	42	--	--	43	43	47	46	--	--	52	51	--	--	64	63	61	--
Average.....	56	52	45	43	41	40	39	38	--	--	46	46	48	47	51	50	53	52	60	59	65	64	62	61

COWLITZ RIVER BASIN--Continued  
COWMAN RIVER NEAR KELSO, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gauging station, 3 miles downstream from Goble Creek, 3.8 miles southeast of Kelso, Cowlitz County, and 5½ miles upstream from mouth.

DRAINAGE AREA--119 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: July 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 74°F Aug. 11; minimum, 34°F Nov. 24-30. Dec. 1-3.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 81°F Aug. 4, 1952; minimum, 33°F Jan. 2-3, 1952.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																										
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September				
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max		
1.....	63	58	50	48	34	34	43	43	48	47	43	39	46	46	53	51	54	51	56	56	71	63	--	--	--		
2.....	62	57	57	48	46	34	45	43	47	46	40	39	47	44	53	51	52	55	60	65	72	65	--	--	--		
3.....	61	56	46	45	40	34	45	45	47	46	40	40	47	47	57	53	55	51	61	71	66	--	--	--	--		
4.....	61	56	46	45	43	40	43	43	46	46	41	40	47	44	57	53	56	52	65	66	64	--	--	--	--		
5.....	60	56	48	46	43	43	43	42	46	46	41	41	47	46	58	53	54	54	60	69	61	70	66	--	--	--	
6.....	59	54	47	46	43	42	42	41	47	48	41	41	47	45	58	53	53	50	70	64	71	68	--	--	--	--	
7.....	59	55	46	44	43	43	43	42	43	47	42	41	47	45	54	51	53	52	62	69	72	64	--	--	--	--	
8.....	60	57	44	43	43	43	46	43	48	45	42	40	46	46	51	49	53	50	69	65	71	68	--	--	--	--	
9.....	60	57	43	41	43	43	46	45	45	43	42	40	47	46	51	49	53	50	69	64	70	66	--	--	--	--	
10.....	58	55	45	42	44	43	45	44	45	44	42	42	49	46	50	48	57	51	69	64	73	65	--	--	--	--	
11.....	58	54	48	45	45	43	47	45	45	44	42	42	49	48	54	48	60	53	69	63	74	68	--	--	--	--	
12.....	54	54	48	47	48	45	46	48	47	45	43	42	41	49	48	57	50	59	53	68	63	73	67	--	--	--	
13.....	56	52	47	47	47	46	45	48	47	45	44	42	41	49	48	56	52	56	62	62	66	63	67	--	--	--	
14.....	54	50	47	46	45	45	42	47	47	45	45	42	39	50	48	54	52	59	53	61	61	--	--	--	--		
15.....	52	48	46	42	42	41	47	47	45	43	42	39	51	48	52	58	55	62	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
16.....	58	48	42	40	44	41	47	47	44	43	42	41	51	51	52	50	61	55	65	57	--	--	--	--	--	--	
17.....	53	48	41	40	44	43	47	47	44	44	42	41	51	51	52	51	60	56	69	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	
18.....	54	50	41	41	43	41	47	47	45	45	43	42	52	50	51	56	54	67	63	63	60	--	--	--	--	--	
19.....	55	52	41	39	42	41	47	47	44	43	45	42	52	51	51	54	52	64	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
20.....	55	53	42	40	43	42	47	47	44	43	45	44	53	50	52	49	53	52	64	58	--	--	--	--	--	--	
21.....	57	54	41	38	43	42	47	47	43	43	44	44	53	50	52	50	54	57	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
22.....	56	56	38	38	43	42	47	47	43	43	45	44	51	50	49	56	53	67	62	--	--	61	60	--	--	--	
23.....	56	55	36	35	43	41	47	47	42	42	41	47	53	50	49	48	57	54	61	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	
24.....	56	54	35	34	41	39	47	47	45	45	42	41	47	47	53	48	54	64	58	--	--	59	55	--	--	--	
25.....	54	50	34	34	39	37	47	47	46	41	41	46	54	52	51	47	55	64	61	--	--	58	54	--	--	--	
26.....	50	48	34	34	39	39	46	45	42	41	46	45	53	52	52	49	55	55	62	--	--	57	53	--	--	--	
27.....	50	48	34	34	41	39	45	45	42	42	46	45	53	52	52	50	55	55	65	--	--	56	54	--	--	--	
28.....	50	47	34	34	41	40	45	45	42	42	47	47	53	50	53	50	56	54	62	--	--	57	56	--	--	--	
29.....	50	48	34	34	43	41	46	45	--	--	47	47	51	50	53	51	58	54	63	--	--	67	55	--	--	--	
30.....	53	50	34	34	44	43	47	46	--	--	47	47	52	50	51	50	59	57	67	--	--	65	55	--	--	--	
31.....	52	50	--	--	44	42	48	47	--	--	48	46	--	--	54	48	--	--	59	62	--	--	61	--	--	--	--
Average .....	56	53	42	41	46	45	44	44	44	44	43	43	50	48	53	50	56	53	53	50	56	53	50	56	53	50	56

## ABERNETHY CREEK BASIN

## ABERNETHY CREEK NEAR LONGVIEW, WASH.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gaging station, 1 mile upstream from mouth and 11 miles northwest of Longview, Cowlitz County.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.--20.3 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures: June 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 65°F Aug. 11, 19; minimum, 35°F Nov. 28-30.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures: Maximum, 68°F Aug. 19-21, 1950; minimum, 34°F Mar. 7, 1951.

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1286.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	
1.....	61	57	49	47	39	37	43	42	46	41	39	37	45	39	49	47	51	48	58	54	61	53	60	58	
2.....	60	54	47	44	40	39	45	43	46	45	41	39	45	40	48	46	51	49	60	53	61	56	62	58	
3.....	59	53	49	46	44	42	46	45	46	45	43	41	44	44	46	44	50	48	59	54	59	57	62	56	
4.....	58	52	49	48	44	43	44	43	45	44	42	41	44	42	46	44	48	46	58	54	58	56	62	56	
5.....	58	52	49	47	43	42	42	41	45	45	42	41	45	42	47	41	51	49	63	55	61	58	63	58	
6.....	58	52	49	47	43	42	42	41	45	45	42	41	45	42	47	41	54	51	61	51	49	50	58	60	
7.....	57	54	47	44	43	42	43	42	46	45	42	41	45	42	47	42	44	40	51	50	64	57	61	59	
8.....	58	55	45	42	43	43	44	44	46	44	42	41	45	44	46	44	48	42	53	50	63	58	59	57	
9.....	58	56	43	41	43	43	45	44	44	42	41	43	44	42	45	44	46	42	50	47	54	49	56	61	56
10.....	56	52	46	43	45	43	44	43	44	42	41	44	44	42	45	44	47	41	49	46	55	52	64	58	61
11.....	56	53	48	46	45	43	45	44	45	44	43	45	43	45	43	45	42	45	48	51	65	57	60	57	
12.....	57	54	48	47	47	45	45	44	45	44	43	45	44	43	45	44	42	45	56	52	63	60	64	61	
13.....	56	53	48	47	47	45	45	44	44	43	42	41	45	44	46	43	48	43	51	51	61	59	63	56	
14.....	53	47	47	45	45	45	45	44	44	43	42	41	45	44	46	41	41	51	50	55	50	60	58	64	
15.....	51	46	46	42	42	41	45	45	43	42	41	42	42	41	47	42	49	48	54	51	59	57	61	57	
16.....	52	48	42	41	43	41	45	45	43	42	41	43	42	43	40	47	45	51	49	56	50	63	54	59	
17.....	52	48	43	42	44	43	45	45	43	42	42	42	42	42	47	46	51	50	54	52	64	56	58	52	
18.....	53	50	43	41	43	42	46	45	43	41	42	42	41	42	42	41	45	41	50	51	62	59	64	58	
19.....	53	53	42	41	43	42	46	45	43	42	41	42	42	41	45	42	48	42	52	51	60	55	63	56	
20.....	55	54	43	42	43	43	46	45	43	42	43	43	42	43	42	43	48	51	51	61	54	63	59	53	
21.....	57	54	42	41	43	42	46	45	43	42	41	44	44	43	42	43	48	50	49	53	50	63	54	58	
22.....	54	52	41	39	43	42	46	45	43	42	41	44	44	43	42	43	49	48	47	52	51	61	56	57	
23.....	54	53	39	38	43	41	46	45	42	39	48	44	45	42	40	46	43	52	48	54	58	61	57	55	
24.....	54	51	39	39	41	40	46	45	43	40	45	42	40	46	42	40	45	42	48	51	57	56	55	51	
25.....	51	49	39	37	40	39	46	44	43	40	39	44	43	40	39	40	45	42	48	51	57	56	55	50	
26.....	50	46	38	36	40	39	44	43	43	40	39	44	42	40	39	40	48	51	53	51	57	54	53	49	
27.....	50	47	38	36	41	40	44	43	41	40	39	44	44	41	38	46	45	50	48	52	60	53	58	57	
28.....	49	46	36	35	41	41	44	44	41	41	40	44	44	41	38	41	49	47	53	54	61	54	57	54	
29.....	50	49	36	35	43	41	44	44	44	41	40	44	44	41	41	40	45	41	49	55	52	62	56	53	
30.....	52	50	37	35	44	44	42	42	46	45	44	44	45	44	44	45	41	49	47	55	52	60	53	53	
31.....	51	49	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Average.....	55	51	44	42	43	42	45	44	44	42	43	44	44	42	46	44	44	42	48	53	50	61	56	55	

## CLATSANIE RIVER BASIN

## CLATSANIE RIVER NEAR CLATSANIE, OREG.

LOCATION.--Temperature recorder at gauging station, 2 miles downstream from Carcus Creek, and 5½ miles southeast of Clatsanie, Columbia County.  
DRAINAGE AREA.--53.0 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.--Water temperatures:

EXTREMES, 1952--53.--Water temperatures:

EXTREMES, 1950-53.--Water temperatures:

REMARKS.--Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

## CATSKANIE RIVER BASIN

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Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																									
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min		
1.....	59	53	46	43	37	36	44	41	40	46	42	41	47	42	40	47	42	46	42	50	46	55	50	61	55	
2.....	59	53	46	44	39	37	44	44	47	46	45	42	49	46	45	47	45	54	51	62	55	66	64	64	59	
3.....	59	53	46	45	40	39	44	42	42	47	46	43	47	45	45	48	56	53	50	63	57	61	59	63	56	
4.....	58	52	47	45	45	40	40	42	41	46	46	45	49	46	46	50	54	54	50	65	56	62	58	63	56	
5.....	58	52	49	47	47	40	40	39	41	39	47	46	44	48	44	44	48	47	53	51	51	49	67	57	65	
6.....	58	51	48	46	40	39	41	39	41	40	47	49	45	46	43	45	54	54	51	60	59	63	61	62	60	
7.....	57	53	46	44	40	39	42	40	40	42	47	49	44	45	44	45	52	52	51	54	52	63	60	61	60	
8.....	58	53	46	44	42	40	40	44	42	42	47	44	44	45	44	45	52	52	50	56	52	62	60	62	60	
9.....	57	53	46	44	41	40	41	45	43	44	44	43	47	44	45	47	44	51	48	56	50	67	60	63	59	
10.....	56	53	47	44	41	41	45	43	44	42	47	46	48	49	43	48	48	48	50	54	60	54	69	61	66	57
11.....	57	53	48	46	42	40	46	44	45	43	47	43	46	48	44	47	43	46	48	54	63	64	66	67	69	61
12.....	57	53	46	45	44	42	46	45	45	43	46	44	47	43	46	44	44	54	54	59	63	67	63	62	59	
13.....	55	52	46	44	42	42	46	45	45	43	46	43	48	44	43	48	44	50	57	53	63	61	66	57	62	
14.....	53	48	46	45	42	39	45	44	44	44	45	42	47	43	45	45	55	51	59	51	63	61	67	59	62	
15.....	51	47	45	42	39	38	45	44	44	43	46	44	45	43	43	45	52	52	51	54	51	63	61	61	57	
16.....	52	48	42	40	41	38	45	45	45	43	46	44	44	43	46	45	47	54	50	61	53	66	63	63	56	
17.....	52	47	42	41	41	40	47	45	45	43	46	43	49	47	43	49	52	57	54	67	57	64	64	57	52	
18.....	52	49	43	41	40	39	47	47	47	44	42	45	44	44	46	46	53	57	57	53	65	61	66	61	52	
19.....	54	52	42	40	41	39	47	47	47	44	42	46	44	44	45	45	52	52	50	65	57	67	61	60	56	
20.....	53	52	42	41	42	41	47	46	44	43	46	45	56	50	44	46	54	54	52	63	57	64	60	58	53	
21.....	55	53	41	38	35	42	40	46	46	44	45	43	46	44	45	46	50	50	54	56	52	66	56	57	53	
22.....	54	53	39	37	42	41	46	46	44	43	46	45	51	50	48	48	52	50	56	53	64	60	64	57	56	
23.....	55	54	37	36	41	40	48	48	47	43	41	40	49	46	45	49	51	49	56	51	61	66	62	58	54	
24.....	54	52	38	37	40	38	47	47	47	43	40	49	46	55	46	51	49	57	53	64	60	60	57	55	51	
25.....	52	49	38	36	38	37	47	45	45	43	41	47	45	52	50	55	47	56	53	60	57	59	58	55	50	
26.....	50	47	36	35	38	38	44	44	45	44	42	48	46	54	51	50	54	56	54	61	56	61	58	53	49	
27.....	49	46	35	34	38	38	44	44	45	43	46	44	48	46	45	48	46	53	52	55	61	56	60	59	53	
28.....	48	46	34	33	38	38	45	44	45	42	48	46	51	48	46	48	56	51	56	64	54	64	59	54	53	
29.....	50	48	34	33	41	38	46	45	45	42	47	44	49	47	45	50	57	57	54	64	58	61	56	54	53	
30.....	51	50	35	33	42	41	47	46	46	44	45	45	50	47	45	43	47	54	50	57	63	57	62	58	54	
31.....	50	47	--	--	41	40	48	47	--	--	48	45	43	--	--	--	56	47	--	--	--	63	55	62	60	
Average.....	54	51	42	41	40	39	45	44	45	43	46	44	47	44	45	43	46	50	50	56	52	65	58	59	55	

## ELOKOMIN RIVER BASIN

## ELOKOMIN RIVER NEAR CATHLAMET, WASH.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder, at gauging station, 2 miles northeast of Cathlamet, Wahkiakum County, and 4 miles upstream from mouth.  
 DRAINAGE AREA—65.8 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: June 1950 to September 1953.  
 EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 70° F July 11; minimum, 35° F Nov. 28-30, Dec. 1, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in NWP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September			
	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.		
1.....	60	55	50	48	38	35	44	44	45	44	45	44	45	44	45	42	48	46	53	51	62	65	57	61	59	
2.....	61	56	48	45	40	38	45	44	45	45	45	43	42	42	46	42	47	45	53	52	64	65	63	65	59	
3.....	60	56	47	46	41	40	45	45	45	45	45	44	44	46	45	52	46	53	51	61	59	66	65	66	58	
4.....	59	55	48	47	43	41	45	45	45	45	45	46	46	46	45	45	53	49	55	51	64	57	61	65	58	
5.....	59	54	49	48	43	43	45	44	45	45	45	46	46	46	45	53	52	52	67	57	64	60	65	61	61	
6.....	58	54	49	47	43	43	44	43	45	45	45	46	46	46	45	46	51	50	50	69	59	63	61	64	61	
7.....	57	56	47	45	43	43	44	43	45	45	45	48	46	45	45	43	52	50	52	51	68	61	65	61	60	
8.....	57	56	46	45	43	43	44	44	45	45	44	49	46	44	44	44	51	49	54	51	68	61	63	60	59	
9.....	56	56	45	45	43	43	45	44	44	44	44	48	47	45	44	44	50	48	56	52	67	61	64	64	59	
10.....	57	55	46	44	43	43	45	45	45	44	44	48	47	47	46	43	49	47	59	55	69	61	68	59	64	
11.....	57	55	47	45	44	45	46	45	44	44	44	47	46	46	44	46	44	47	50	55	70	62	69	61	63	
12.....	58	55	47	47	45	46	45	44	45	44	45	44	45	44	44	44	44	44	54	54	69	63	63	64	60	
13.....	57	55	47	45	43	43	45	44	45	45	45	48	46	45	44	44	44	44	51	58	54	64	62	68	58	
14.....	55	51	47	46	42	42	45	46	46	45	45	47	47	47	47	47	50	50	53	63	60	67	60	64	59	
15.....	53	49	46	44	45	43	46	45	44	44	44	44	44	43	43	44	44	44	50	50	60	56	59	61	63	59
16.....	53	49	44	42	45	43	46	45	44	44	44	48	47	46	46	46	45	46	51	61	54	57	62	59	62	59
17.....	53	49	43	42	45	42	45	46	45	44	44	48	47	46	46	45	44	46	51	51	55	57	69	58	59	54
18.....	53	50	43	43	45	43	45	45	45	45	45	48	47	46	46	45	45	45	51	51	56	54	65	61	66	59
19.....	55	52	43	42	44	44	45	45	45	44	44	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	51	50	55	54	61	57	61	57
20.....	55	50	43	44	45	45	46	46	45	45	45	46	46	46	45	45	45	45	51	50	51	58	66	63	60	55
21.....	57	54	43	42	44	44	45	45	44	43	43	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	51	50	49	56	68	60	59	55
22.....	56	53	42	40	44	44	45	45	45	44	44	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	51	50	49	59	65	63	59	58
23.....	55	54	40	39	44	43	45	45	45	44	44	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	50	49	55	54	63	57	60	57
24.....	55	53	39	38	43	41	40	45	44	45	45	46	42	41	48	46	46	48	50	49	49	56	54	62	58	54
25.....	53	50	38	37	41	40	45	44	44	45	45	46	45	45	45	45	45	45	53	48	59	54	62	59	57	53
26.....	52	50	37	36	41	40	44	43	44	44	44	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	51	51	56	62	57	60	57	51
27.....	51	49	36	36	42	41	43	43	45	45	45	44	44	47	47	47	47	47	52	52	55	54	64	56	57	54
28.....	50	49	36	35	42	41	44	43	43	43	43	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	51	51	57	54	66	57	55	54
29.....	51	50	35	35	44	42	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	47	47	47	58	55	60	62	54
30.....	52	51	35	35	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	46	46	46	55	61	57	54	54
31.....	52	50	—	—	44	44	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	46	46	46	50	55	56	61	57
Average.....	55	53	44	42	43	43	45	45	45	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	47	47	45	52	49	56	53	57

## BIG CREEK BASIN

## BIG CREEK NEAR KNAPPA, OREG.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, 0.3 mile downstream from fish hatchery, and 2½ miles south of Knapna, Clatsop County.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—31.9 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: August 1949 to September 1953, 61° to 75°; July 12, Aug. 12, 14, 15, 19, 20; minimum, 39° Nov. 28 to Dec. 1.

EXTREMES, 1952-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 62° F Aug. 20, 1951; minimum, 37° F Mar. 5-7, 1951, Jan. 3, 4, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

## BIG CREEK BASIN

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Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953																							
	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	54	53	50	48	41	39	46	45	47	47	43	42	45	43	49	47	51	50	55	54	58	56	59	58
2.....	55	54	50	48	42	41	47	45	47	46	44	42	47	43	48	47	50	50	55	54	58	56	59	58
3.....	55	53	48	47	43	42	47	47	47	45	44	42	47	46	48	48	50	49	56	55	57	57	59	58
4.....	53	53	49	48	45	43	47	46	47	46	45	44	47	45	53	50	49	49	56	54	57	56	59	58
5.....	53	50	49	45	46	45	46	45	46	45	46	45	47	46	55	52	50	49	58	55	57	60	59	59
6.....	52	50	49	45	45	45	45	45	47	46	45	45	46	45	55	53	50	49	53	50	57	57	60	59
7.....	54	52	50	49	45	45	45	45	47	46	44	47	45	46	53	51	50	49	57	57	57	57	60	59
8.....	53	52	49	47	46	45	46	45	46	47	45	44	47	46	51	50	49	58	57	57	57	57	59	59
9.....	53	51	47	47	46	46	47	45	47	45	44	45	46	46	50	48	50	50	59	58	59	57	59	58
10.....	53	49	47	47	46	47	47	47	47	45	44	46	46	48	45	49	53	52	60	58	59	57	59	57
11.....	54	53	49	49	47	47	47	47	48	47	45	44	46	46	48	46	51	47	55	52	60	58	59	58
12.....	53	51	49	49	47	47	47	47	48	48	47	45	46	46	48	46	52	49	55	53	61	59	59	59
13.....	54	52	49	48	48	48	48	48	48	47	45	45	46	46	48	46	52	49	55	53	61	59	59	58
14.....	53	51	48	48	48	47	48	48	48	47	45	45	46	46	48	46	52	50	59	57	60	58	59	58
15.....	51	50	48	47	48	47	48	48	48	47	45	44	44	44	48	46	50	49	54	53	59	61	60	59
16.....	51	50	47	45	47	47	47	48	48	45	43	45	44	44	48	48	50	49	55	53	59	60	59	58
17.....	51	50	45	45	47	47	47	48	48	45	43	45	44	44	48	48	50	49	55	53	60	58	59	57
18.....	51	51	46	45	47	46	46	46	46	48	45	44	45	44	48	47	50	47	53	52	60	58	59	57
19.....	53	51	46	45	46	46	46	46	48	48	44	44	45	44	48	44	51	49	50	53	57	56	57	55
20.....	53	52	46	46	46	46	46	46	47	46	44	44	45	44	48	44	51	50	49	52	58	57	61	56
21.....	53	52	46	45	46	46	45	45	47	47	44	44	45	44	49	49	51	50	59	52	59	57	57	56
22.....	53	52	45	43	46	46	46	47	47	45	44	45	45	45	49	49	51	51	53	52	59	58	57	56
23.....	53	53	43	43	45	45	45	46	48	47	43	47	45	45	49	49	51	49	53	52	58	56	56	55
24.....	53	52	43	41	46	45	45	48	48	43	42	47	46	46	49	49	51	47	53	52	58	56	57	53
25.....	52	50	41	41	45	44	45	46	46	44	42	46	45	45	50	48	51	50	53	53	57	57	57	53
26.....	51	50	41	40	44	44	44	46	45	44	43	43	43	43	47	45	51	50	51	53	56	57	57	53
27.....	51	50	40	40	44	44	44	45	45	44	43	43	43	43	47	46	51	51	51	53	57	54	55	52
28.....	50	40	39	44	44	44	44	46	45	45	43	43	43	43	47	46	50	48	51	53	57	55	54	54
29.....	51	50	39	39	46	44	44	46	46	46	43	43	43	43	46	46	51	50	54	53	58	56	57	54
30.....	52	51	39	39	46	46	46	47	47	46	43	43	43	43	46	46	48	48	51	50	54	53	56	54
31.....	52	50	--	--	46	46	46	48	48	47	44	44	44	44	--	--	51	48	--	58	56	58	58	--
Average .....	53	52	46	45	46	45	45	47	47	45	44	44	44	44	46	45	48	47	51	49	53	52	58	56

## GRAYS RIVER BASIN

## WEST BRANCH GRAYS RIVER, NEAR GRAYS RIVER, WASH.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, 1 mile upstream from mouth and 3½ miles northeast of Grays River, Wahkiakum County.  
 DRAINAGE AREA.—16,3 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: June 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1952—53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 66°F Aug. 11; minimum, 39°F Nov. 28.

EXTREMES, 1950-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 66°F Aug. 11, 1953; minimum, 36°F Feb. 20, 1952.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953											
	October		November		December		January		February		March	
	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.
1	57	55	50	49	42	40	45	45	--	--	--	--
2	57	56	50	48	42	43	45	45	--	--	--	--
3	57	56	51	49	44	43	45	45	46	46	57	58
4	57	55	52	51	45	44	--	--	46	46	50	59
5	57	55	52	50	45	45	--	--	46	46	50	59
6	56	54	52	49	45	45	--	--	46	46	--	--
7	56	55	50	47	45	45	--	--	46	46	--	--
8	56	56	56	49	47	45	46	45	--	--	51	59
9	56	56	56	50	48	45	46	45	44	--	51	60
10	56	55	51	50	45	45	46	44	44	44	48	59
11	56	55	51	51	45	45	47	47	46	44	51	61
12	56	55	51	50	46	45	45	47	44	44	46	57
13	56	53	50	50	46	46	47	47	45	44	53	61
14	54	52	50	50	46	46	47	47	45	44	53	59
15	53	51	50	48	46	46	47	47	45	43	50	56
16	52	52	48	47	46	46	47	46	43	43	56	55
17	54	51	48	48	46	46	47	47	43	43	51	60
18	54	53	48	47	46	46	47	47	43	43	50	54
19	54	54	47	46	46	46	46	47	47	47	51	57
20	55	54	47	45	46	45	47	47	--	--	50	55
21	55	54	45	45	45	45	47	47	--	--	53	52
22	54	53	45	43	45	45	47	47	--	--	50	49
23	55	54	44	43	45	45	47	47	--	--	50	49
24	53	53	43	42	44	44	44	47	--	--	53	55
25	53	51	42	41	44	43	47	47	--	--	51	52
26	53	51	41	40	43	43	47	47	--	--	52	55
27	53	52	41	40	43	43	47	47	--	--	52	53
28	53	51	41	39	44	43	48	47	--	--	53	53
29	53	53	40	40	44	44	47	47	--	--	52	56
30	53	52	--	--	45	44	44	47	--	--	52	51
31	52	50	--	--	45	45	--	--	--	--	53	51
Average .....	56	53	47	46	45	45	--	--	--	--	53	51

## YOUNGS RIVER BASIN

## NORTH PORK KLASKANINE RIVER NEAR OLNEY, OREG.

LOCATION.—Temperature recorder at gaging station, half a mile downstream from Barth Falls, 2 miles upstream from North Fork of North Fork, and 4 miles southeast of Olney, Clatsop County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—14.0 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Water temperatures: May 1950 to September 1953.

EXTREMES, 1932-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 63°F July 14; minimum, 34°F Nov. 28.

EXTREMES, 1930-53.—Water temperatures: Maximum, 65°F Aug. 4; minimum, 34°F Nov. 28.

REMARKS.—Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

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Temperature (°F) of water, water year October 1952 to September 1953

Day	October		November		December		January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
1.....	59	54	49	46	--	--	--	--	48	47	43	40	46	42	49	46	51	49	55	53	59	55	58	58
2.....	58	54	46	45	--	--	--	--	47	47	43	41	48	43	46	46	51	50	55	54	58	57	58	58
3.....	57	54	47	46	--	--	--	--	48	47	45	43	47	46	54	48	51	49	55	54	57	57	57	57
4.....	58	54	49	47	--	--	--	--	47	47	45	44	47	45	56	50	50	48	57	54	57	57	57	57
5.....	58	54	50	49	--	--	--	--	47	47	46	45	47	46	58	53	50	48	59	54	57	57	59	59
6.....	58	54	49	49	--	--	--	--	48	47	47	45	47	44	56	53	50	49	61	56	58	60	59	59
7.....	58	55	47	46	--	--	--	--	48	47	47	44	46	44	53	51	51	50	61	57	59	59	59	59
8.....	58	55	46	45	--	--	--	--	47	46	45	44	46	45	51	49	52	50	60	58	59	58	59	59
9.....	57	55	47	46	--	--	--	--	46	45	44	44	47	45	48	44	49	53	50	60	58	58	60	57
10.....	57	56	49	47	--	--	--	--	46	46	44	44	47	46	48	44	47	54	52	60	58	60	57	60
11.....	57	56	49	49	--	--	--	--	48	46	45	44	47	45	47	46	52	46	60	62	62	58	60	59
12.....	57	55	49	48	--	--	--	--	48	47	45	44	46	44	45	46	48	56	53	60	59	62	59	61
13.....	57	55	52	48	--	--	--	--	47	47	45	44	46	43	46	45	53	50	55	52	59	58	57	57
14.....	53	50	48	48	--	--	--	--	47	47	45	44	42	42	45	45	51	50	55	52	59	58	59	56
15.....	51	49	45	45	--	--	--	--	47	47	44	43	44	43	48	45	50	49	55	54	59	57	61	58
16.....	52	50	45	43	45	45	47	47	45	45	44	44	45	44	49	48	50	49	56	53	59	59	59	57
17.....	53	50	44	43	45	45	47	47	45	44	44	43	43	43	49	48	50	49	56	54	61	59	59	57
18.....	52	51	44	44	45	43	--	--	44	43	44	44	44	44	52	47	51	50	54	53	60	57	63	60
19.....	52	51	44	43	43	--	--	--	44	43	44	43	43	43	46	45	50	51	53	52	57	56	54	56
20.....	54	52	44	43	44	--	--	--	45	43	44	44	45	44	51	50	50	51	53	52	57	56	56	53
21.....	56	54	41	41	43	--	--	--	45	44	45	44	45	44	44	45	51	50	49	53	52	57	56	54
22.....	55	54	41	39	44	43	--	--	45	43	45	45	45	45	51	50	50	48	53	52	58	57	56	56
23.....	54	54	39	38	44	43	--	--	43	41	49	45	51	49	49	48	53	52	57	56	59	58	57	55
24.....	54	52	38	37	43	42	--	--	41	41	48	46	53	46	49	48	52	52	56	55	58	57	56	53
25.....	52	49	37	36	42	41	--	--	44	41	47	45	53	51	51	47	53	52	55	55	57	57	56	53
26.....	50	49	36	36	41	41	--	--	45	42	48	45	52	51	52	50	53	52	56	55	57	57	57	53
27.....	50	49	36	35	34	--	--	--	46	45	43	47	47	46	52	50	53	52	57	54	57	55	55	52
28.....	50	49	35	34	46	45	--	--	46	46	45	45	45	45	50	47	52	50	55	53	58	57	57	54
29.....	51	49	--	--	--	--	--	--	47	46	--	--	46	46	45	50	47	51	50	55	57	57	55	54
30.....	52	49	--	--	--	--	--	--	46	47	--	--	46	46	45	50	47	51	49	55	53	58	57	55
31.....	52	49	--	--	--	--	--	--	46	47	--	--	46	46	45	48	--	--	51	47	--	--	58	--
Average.....	54	52	44	43	--	--	--	--	45	44	46	44	49	47	51	49	53	51	58	56	59	58	58	56

## ROGUE RIVER BASIN

## ROGUE RIVER AT GRANTS PASS, OREG.

LOCATION.—At bridge on U. S. Highway 99 at Grants Pass, Josephine County, and 0.6 mile downstream from gaging station.  
 DRAINAGE AREA—2,420 square miles, approximately.  
 RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Chemical analyses: January to September 1953.

Water temperatures: January to September 1953.

EXTREMES, January to September 1953.—Dissolved solids: Maximum, 85 ppm Mar. 21-31; minimum, 63 ppm July 1-10.

Hardness: Maximum, 42 ppm Mar. 21-31; minimum, 28 ppm July 1-10.

Specific conductance: Maximum daily, 105 micromhos Mar. 22; minimum daily, 58.5 micromhos Jan. 19.

Water temperatures: Maximum observed, 69°F Aug. 14.

REMARKS.—Values reported for dissolved solids are residue on evaporation. Records of specific conductance of daily samples available in district office at Portland, Oreg. Records of discharge for water year October 1952 to September 1953 given in WSP 1288.

Chemical analyses, in parts per million, January to September 1953

Date of collection	Chemical analyses, in parts per million, January to September 1953												Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	Non-carbonate calcium	Percent-solids	Specific conductance (micromhos at 25°C)	Col- or pH						
	Mean discharge (cfs)	Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Iron (Fe)	Calcium (Ca)	Magnesium (Mg)	Sodium (Na)	Potassium (K)	Bicarbonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )	Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	Chloride (Cl)	Fluoride (F)	Nitrate (NO <sub>3</sub> )	Boron (B)	Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C)	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot	Tons per acre-foot						
Jan. 5-31, 1953 . . .	12,680	24	0.19	8.1	4.2	4.6	1.1	44	2.8	2.2	0.6	1.3	0.05	90	0.11	2,740	37	1	20	0.3	88.3	7.2	35
Feb. 1-10 . . . . .	15,560	22	0.15	7.8	3.8	4.0	1.1	42	2.3	1.5	1.0	1.0	--	74	.10	3,110	35	1	19	.3	77.3	7.6	30
Feb. 11-28 . . . . .	5,896	26	0.08	9.0	4.5	4.6	1.1	49	2.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	--	77	.10	1,230	39	0	20	.3	91.0	7.4	20
Mar. 1-10 . . . . .	3,608	29	0.08	5.6	1.4	5.6	1.4	52	3.2	2.1	1.3	1.3	--	80	.11	779	37	0	24	.4	96.3	7.6	6
Mar. 11-20 . . . . .	3,809	29	0.08	8.8	3.6	5.6	1.4	52	2.9	2.6	1.3	1.3	--	70	.11	812	42	0	24	.4	94.4	7.4	8
Mar. 21-31 . . . . .	5,799	24	0.21	9.0	4.3	5.3	1.5	52	3.2	2.6	1.3	1.3	--	85	.12	1,330	42	0	21	.4	93.9	7.0	25
Apr. 1-10 . . . . .	3,960	26	0.10	8.6	3.5	5.3	1.5	50	2.7	2.6	1.4	1.1	--	78	.11	834	36	0	23	.4	91.8	7.2	25
Apr. 11-20 . . . . .	3,991	26	0.07	8.6	3.4	5.3	1.5	52	3.4	2.6	1.3	1.3	--	645	.06	77	35	0	24	.4	94.4	7.4	18
Apr. 21-30 . . . . .	4,685	22	0.07	7.4	2.9	5.7	1.2	42	3.5	2.2	1.3	1.3	--	69	.09	889	30	0	23	.3	79.6	6.7	15
May 1-10 . . . . .	4,037	22	0.05	7.4	2.6	4.2	1.2	40	3.0	1.8	1.1	1.1	--	64	.09	698	29	0	23	.3	73.8	6.9	17
May 11-20 . . . . .	4,165	23	0.04	7.6	2.9	4.2	1.2	44	3.3	1.9	1.2	1.2	--	69	.09	776	31	0	22	.3	78.2	6.9	10
May 21-31 . . . . .	8,718	23	0.20	8.8	4.5	4.4	1.4	50	5.1	3.1	1.9	1.4	--	81	.11	910	40	0	18	.3	87.2	7.2	40
June 1-10 . . . . .	7,168	22	.11	7.8	3.5	4.4	1.1	46	3.3	2.2	1.4	1.4	--	71	.10	1,370	34	0	21	.3	82.1	7.0	22
June 11-20 . . . . .	5,817	22	.12	7.0	3.0	3.9	1.1	40	2.9	1.7	1.0	1.0	--	65	.09	1,020	31	0	21	.3	72.6	6.9	28
June 21-30 . . . . .	3,987	22	.06	7.2	3.1	3.9	1.4	39	2.3	2.1	1.3	1.3	--	64	.09	684	31	0	21	.3	71.1	7.0	20
July 1-10 . . . . .	2,978	26	.05	6.2	3.0	3.6	1.5	36	2.5	1.8	1.3	1.3	--	63	.09	507	28	0	21	.3	69.9	6.9	28
July 11-20 . . . . .	2,278	26	.11	7.0	3.0	3.9	1.5	38	3.1	2.0	1.4	1.4	--	69	.09	424	30	0	21	.3	71.9	7.1	10
July 21-31 . . . . .	1,801	31	.12	6.9	3.2	4.1	1.6	43	2.5	1.8	1.2	1.2	--	74	.10	360	30	0	22	.3	77.8	7.0	25
Aug. 1-10 . . . . .	1,637	31	.12	8.0	3.1	4.3	1.7	46	4.0	2.4	1.0	1.0	--	79	.11	349	33	0	21	.3	82.1	6.8	5
Aug. 11-20 . . . . .	1,518	31	.08	7.8	3.2	4.6	1.7	46	3.3	2.7	1.1	1.1	--	74	.10	303	33	0	22	.4	83.3	7.0	10
Aug. 21-31 . . . . .	1,723	31	.06	8.6	3.3	4.8	1.7	46	3.3	2.7	1.1	1.1	--	79	.11	388	35	0	22	.4	88.4	6.8	10
Sept. 1-10 . . . . .	1,630	31	.09	9.0	3.4	5.0	1.6	52	2.6	2.6	1.2	1.2	--	83	.11	370	36	0	22	.4	96.1	7.1	11
Sept. 11-20 . . . . .	1,485	34	.03	9.0	3.9	5.5	1.6	51	2.2	2.7	.2	.2	--	80	.11	321	38	0	23	.4	93.4	7.1	11
Sept. 21-30 . . . . .	1,549	32	.04	8.8	3.4	5.5	1.6	51	2.2	2.7	.2	.2	--	81	.11	339	36	0	24	.4	93.4	7.0	15
Weighted average	a 5,117	25	0.13	8.1	3.8	4.5	1.3	45	3.0	2.1	0.4	0.9	--	76	0.10	1,050	36	0	21	0.3	84.8	--	--

a Represents 87 percent of runoff for water year October 1952 to September 1953.

## ROGUE RIVER BASIN--Continued

## ROGUE RIVER AT GRANTS PASS, OREG.--Continued

Temperature (°F) of water, January to September 1953  
 Once-daily measurement at approximately 11:45 a. m.<sup>7</sup>

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1				--	43	41	45	49	50	58	65	60
2				--	43	39	45	48	52	60	65	62
3				--	45	41	46	51	52	61	64	63
4				--	43	42	45	52	53	62	64	64
5				41	44	43	46	53	53	64	65	64
6				39	44	44	46	52	52	65	65	65
7				40	45	44	45	50	52	65	65	65
8				41	45	42	44	49	51	65	65	65
9				43	42	42	44	49	50	64	65	65
10				42	41	42	45	51	50	64	65	65
11				44	41	44	45	52	53	65	66	65
12				45	42	44	45	53	53	65	67	65
13				44	42	45	46	52	53	65	68	64
14				43	42	44	46	53	54	64	69	64
15				43	43	44	46	50	55	64	68	64
16				43	41	45	47	50	56	65	68	64
17				44	42	44	47	50	57	65	67	63
18				45	41	44	47	51	58	66	67	63
19				43	41	44	47	52	58	65	66	63
20				44	41	44	47	52	58	66	66	63
21				42	42	43	54	49	58	65	66	62
22				44	41	43	55	50	58	66	66	61
23				43	40	44	52	50	58	66	64	60
24				43	39	44	53	48	58	66	62	57
25				42	40	45	53	47	57	66	60	57
26				42	41	44	53	46	57	65	59	56
27				40	42	45	49	45	58	65	59	56
28				40	42	45	49	47	56	65	59	56
29				42	--	45	50	49	56	65	60	56
30				43	--	45	50	49	57	65	60	55
31				43	--	45	--	49	--	65	62	--
Average				43	42	44	48	50	55	64	64	62



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